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MEMORIAL DAY PLANS COMPLETE

G. A. R. Glad To Know "Our Boys" Are Home. Hope To Make the Day a Thanksgiving. Rev. E. H. Prescott, Orator.

The day is once more approaching on which, each year, we pay tribute to our Soldier Dead. We honor the Soldiers of '75 who fought for the independence of these United States; the Soldiers of '61 who fought that the Union might be preserved; the Soldiers of '98 who fought for and won the liberation of an ignorant people from Spanish oppression, and who have since made such a splendid little republic.

And now we are to honor the Soldiers of '17, "OUR BOYS" who fought to make the entire world "Safe for Democracy" and who have so gloriously won the victory. Andover is thanking God continuously, that the fortunes of war have been so kind to this town and is rejoicing that we have so few graves of "OUR BOYS" to decorate this year, rejoicing also that the "Boys" are home again and are to be with us and to have a part in the exercises of the day.

The details of the program will be much the same as in former years and are as follows: Comrades of Post No. 99, G. A. R.; Wounded soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American and Allied Armies, discharged or still in the service, and members of Camp No. 111 Sons of

MASS MEETING TUESDAY

Service Men to Plan for Andover Post of American Legion

Arrangements have been made for a mass meeting of all service men on the evening of Tuesday, May 20th, at eight o'clock, in the Town Hall to consider the formation in Andover of a post of the American Legion.

The American Legion is a nation-wide organization, open to all persons who have been in the military, naval, or marine service of the United States, or her Allies, during the Great War. It is a non-partisan, non-sectarian patriotic body, formed to perpetuate the spirit and comradeship aroused by the war.

At the recent convention of the Legion at St. Louis the delegates, over a thousand in number, took a decisive stand against Bolshevism and all the forces of disorder, and declared unanimously for undiluted Americanism. A wise feature of the Legion is the provision that previous army and navy rank shall have no weight. Officers and enlisted men meet on even terms and

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\$20,622,142	\$34,069,488	\$16,380,813	\$71,072,443
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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

George A. Abbott of High street, has resumed his duties in the office of the Smith and Dove Mfg. Company.

Miss Jessie Nicoll left last week for Vancouver, B. C., where she will live with her brother, Andrew Nicoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wormald have moved into the house on Temple Place formerly occupied by the Burkhols.

George Collins and Harold Larkin, who returned with Battery F, began work again at the Andover Press on Monday.

The Andover Mothers' Club recently gave \$10.00 to the children of Stowe School to be used toward athletic expenses.

Mrs. Mary J. Ingram of Salem street has returned to her home after a several weeks' visit with relatives in Chicago, Illinois.

Dr. and Mrs. James R. Fuller have returned to their home on Central street after a pleasant winter spent in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Nathan C. Hamblin is substituting for Miss Simmons who is ill. She is the English instructor at Pynchard High School.

Miss Lillian McCarthy of Wolcott avenue is substituting in the public schools for Mrs. Margaret Kimball, whose brother recently died.

The Tyler Rubber Company is having built a new house for the storing of cement. This building is being erected in the rear of factory No. 2.

Andover easily won a victory from M. I. T. freshmen last Saturday at a track meet. The score was 79 to 29 with Kennedy as an individual star for P. A.

A Boys' and Girls' Club in-home coming, pig-raising and gardens is being organized in Andover among the school children. Those who are over ten years of age who wish to join the club, may send their names to Mrs. J. J. Feeney, Holt Rd., telephone 425w.

Several Andover people greatly enjoyed the Minstrel Show given last Friday evening at the City Armory for the benefit of the Lawrence General hospital. The actors, most of whom were amateurs, showed the excellent training of their director, A. A. Schaake while Judge L. A. Cox made a fine interlocutor.

Officer James Napier who has been night patrolman for the past ten years has been transferred to the day force and began his duties Friday. Leonard Saunders, recently appointed by the selectmen has taken officer Napier's place on the night force. Mr. Napier is senior officer of the force and his faithful service has been rewarded by his transfer to day duty. He will patrol the square and also act during the absence of Chief Smith on court or other duties.

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Holy Cross Freshmen gave Andover her first baseball defeat Wednesday, with a score of 6 to 1.

Tyer Rubber Company's baseball team lost to South Lawrence A. A. Saturday, by the score of 5 to 1.

Miss Mary M. Cronin of Flint's Court has accepted a position as assistant bookkeeper with Nasella Brothers in Boston.

Garfield temple, Pythian Sisters, No. 56, attended the reception to Grand Chief Maud S. Bradstreet, given by Louise Gale temple in Lawrence, on Wednesday evening.

Dr. Claude M. Fuess is the author of "Phillips Academy in the Great War," a record of the school's part in the Great War. This book will be ready for commencement week.

Mrs. Agnes Gillen who has been very ill at her home on Summer street, is beginning to recover. Her son, James Gillen, has been discharged from service and is at home with his mother.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Phillips Academy Chapel held Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. M. W. Stackpole, Mrs. Stackpole was elected president and Mrs. John L. Phillips secretary and treasurer.

The Natural History society will hold its regular meeting at the home of Miss Harriet Towne, on the Salem Turnpike, North Andover, Tuesday afternoon, May 20th. Those who wish to go will please be ready to leave the park at 3.45 p. m.

Lieut. George E. Abbott, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Abbot of Central street, starred on the baseball team of the University of Paris in a league game between that University and the University of Lyons. His team won 4 to 3.

Miss Ruth B. Mitchell gave a song recital in Ware, May 3rd. The following week she spent in Hartford, Conn., as a delegate to the Eastern Music Supervisors Conference. Miss Mitchell is spending this week-end with friends in Springfield, Mass., attending the Music Festival.

Miss Lily Blomquist was given a delightful surprise party last week at the home of Mrs. Schneider on Pine street. Lovely and useful gifts were "showered" on her for her new home, and a pleasant evening was the result of all her friends' manifested good wishes for her.

The annual Lincoln Spelling Match is to be held this evening in the town hall at 7.30 o'clock. So many entered the contest that it was necessary to hold preliminary contests in the schools and only twenty-five will take part tonight. Dr. Conroy will preside, Prof. Forbes will give out the words and A. W. Leonard will be the umpire.

Private Alexander Forsythe was discharged from service at Camp Dix last week, and has returned to his home on Temple place. He enlisted with the British Navy at the beginning of the war and when our country entered, he was able to get a discharge and enlist in the American army. He has been overseas with the 28th division for over a year.

Next Friday evening in the town hall, the Knights of Columbus will give a play and dance. The play, "Captain Cranberry," is being directed by Herbert Ford and the cast has been working hard with him to make their production successful. Following the play, dancing to the P. A. jazz band will be enjoyed. The committee is: Frank Keefe, chairman; Michael Brennan, Gus Sullivan, John Alexander, Joseph Hickey, William Tammann, John Harney, Joseph McNally, John Leary, Herbert Allicon, John Winters.

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John Bain who died in Lawrence on Saturday, was known to many Andover people as he came many years ago, as a pioneer to the Smith and Dove Mfg. Co.

Mrs. E. J. Fletcher has returned to her home on Salem street, after spending several months in Mayberry, West Virginia, with her daughter, Mrs. John H. Field.

Sergt. Thaxter Eaton was recently transferred to the Cantonment Headquarters Detachment, and is chief clerk at the Camp Surgeon's office at Camp Devens.

Mrs. Edward Brown and her little daughter, of Providence, R. I., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe K. Cole on Elm street.

Harry Armour who has been in France with the MacLean Kilties, C. E. F., has arrived in Halifax. He expects to be discharged soon and come home to Andover.

Byron Morrill, who was unable to come home with the other Battery F, Andover Boys, because of illness, has been mustered out of service and is at his home on Chestnut street.

Those who heard the singing at the South Church on Sunday greatly enjoyed J. Everett Collins as bass and Miss Melda Bedell of Lawrence, as altoist, the new soloists for the choir.

Private Francis L. Zecchini came home from Camp Devens last Saturday after having been overseas for a year with the 7th Division. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Zecchini.

Rain was the reason why Andover and the Harvard freshmen teams did not play out the game Saturday. The score at the ninth inning was 4 to 1 and Durant's home run was an exciting feature of the game.

Corp. Frank B. R. Valpey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Valpey of Elm street, arrived in New York City from Bordeaux Monday, on the Alaskan. He is in the 82nd Division and went at once to Camp Upton from which place he hopes to be soon discharged from service.

The Andover Mothers' Club movies were certainly a great success yesterday, and the theatre was overflowing with interested patrons. There were about eleven hundred people there at all four performances. The mothers wish to thank the public for their generous patronage.

Word has been received of the death last evening, after a few hours' illness, of Mrs. William B. Carpenter, leaving a son, Henry, who is still in service in France, and a daughter, Miriam, a junior in Radcliffe. Her husband, who was the son of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Carpenter, died in 1916.

Instead of the regular drill at the Borden gymnasium last Thursday evening, Capt. Page took Company H out on a hike to Pomp's Pond. Skirmish work was done by the two platoons under Lieuts. Chapin and Billington. The following received marksmen badges: Sergt. Henry A. Bodwell, Sergt. W. D. Yates, Corp. David Robb, Privates Davis, McCulla, King and Smyth.

Those who had charge of the successful sale that was held last Friday by the Woman's Guild of Christ Church were: Mrs. Ashley Watson, Mrs. Frank B. Groat, Mrs. Thomas Allen, Mrs. C. W. Henry, Mrs. Wm. B. Higgins, Mrs. J. Harry Kidder, Mrs. J. H. Flint, Miss Clara Thompson and Mrs. A. E. Hulme. The Playdon store was crowded with eager buyers and the good things to eat were quickly sold, making a good sum of money to go toward the parish house kitchen fund.

PUNCHARD HAD MEMORABLE PARTY

Over Two Hundred Loyal Alumni Present at Big Reunion and Welcome Home. Three Present From Class of 1859.

ATHLETICS IN FRANCE

Frank L. Quinby Tells of Training French Officers in Team Games

As a one way transport Y. M. C. A. worker, I sailed from New York the latter part of April, 1918, on board H. M. S. Mauretania, which had on board, I understood, nearly 10,000 troops from Camp Gordon.

There was another "Y" man aboard in the same capacity, and it was our job to attend to the recreation of the troops and officers during the trip. This was not an easy matter, as every inch of space was taken up by the men and most of the time was occupied in boat drills. Moreover, the ship's officers would not consent to any large groups forming in any portion of the ship. We did succeed, however, in seeing that all the men had a chance to send a final word home before the vessel sailed. We distributed about ten cases of books during the voyage and any quantity of magazines, writing paper, pencils, Bibles, games, etc.

From time to time we had boxing exhibitions, movies, entertainments and calisthenics, while we visited all parts of the ship talking to the troops and the sick,—both the homesick and the seasick.

The trip was delightful and was made without convoy. The Mauretania being very fast, this did not seem necessary; but we were met in the danger zone, one day out from England, by four American destroyers.

We landed in Liverpool and Mole, my Y partner, and I along with the other casual officers (some fifteen in all) under command of Major Allan Pinkerton, E. S. '97, proceeded to Paris via London, Southampton and Havre. I was in Paris for three weeks awaiting assignment. This was certainly an interesting period, for May, 1918, the boches were coming south towards Soissons, and threatening Paris. In addition to this, air raids took place three or four times a week and "Big

Then everybody sat down at the flower decked tables and Rev. Harry S. Lowd, in the absence of Rev. William C. Poor who was unable to be present, pronounced the invocation. This was concluded by the beautiful chanting of the Lord's Prayer by the Lotus male quartet of Boston.

With red, white and blue bunting, flags and banners; with white nodding daisies, yellow cowslips in pots and vases on the tables, with Bardsley's orchestra playing patriotic and well-known selections, all making a pleasant setting for the festive occasion, the following menu was served by Caterer Rhodes: roast turkey, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, olives, radishes, mashed

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Siftings

In a recent "Literary Digest" were
these lines, written by E. H. Shillit, and
published in the London "Graphic":

The same dull town, the same dark street
The market square where women meet
The same old church, where people pray
And worship in the same old way.

The same—O God! it can not be
The same again to men like me!
Through mists of blood I've seen the skies,
While anguish gleamed from human eyes.

And scorched within the fires of hell,
Have gazed on deeds no tongue can tell,
Heaven's highest peaks, too, I have trod
And seen, in man, the face of God.

And all the time, walk in the street
The ghosts of those I used to greet
The same! Ah, no! I'll never be
The same again to men like me.

It takes \$200 to bring each Ameri-
can soldier home from France, and then
some people wonder what the govern-
ment is doing with Liberty Loan money.

Did you ever see such a perfect
rainbow as the one which made the
sky and the whole spring world beauti-
ful on Monday evening?

"Dreams That Should Come True"
is the title of the following passage
taken from a Boston Globe Editorial.
It seems to have an appeal for the in-
dividual to do his part to make a better
world to live in, a ringing-true America.

"Dr. Henry Jackson of the Federal
Bureau of Education has taken as the
slogan for a movement to teach the
alien the true meaning of American
democracy, 'Make him see America as
he dreamed of it before he left Europe.'"

"Eight soldiers from the town of Web-
ster, Mass., did not come back in the
ranks of the volunteer 26th Division
with which they fought. The names on
their graves in France are Albecki,
Bazinsky, Bemowski, Benewicz, Chi-
come, Guenther, Osowski and Zartor-
ski. These are not selected names. They
are the whole list of Yankee
Division dead from one New England
town. And this instance is by no means
isolated.

"When America went to war the re-
sponse from what the native-born call
the 'foreign element' was superb. Perhaps
native Americans might have
turned the tide, but the newcomers
would not let them do it alone."

"There is but one answer which those
who have been here longer can make to
this love of immigrants for their adopted
land. We must make their dreams come
true. We must support every movement
to make America fit for those who once
looked upon these States as a new
heaven."

Last Friday was a big night for
Andover and many people probably
wished they could be in more than one
place at once. The town offered two
forms of entertainment; for the "butter-
flies" was the party given by R. C. O. A.
and for the "lily lights" was the
Barnard Prize Speaking. As a matter
of fact, there were also lily lights at
the dance and butterflies at the church,
and that is why it was a big
night—entertainment for everybody.
Seldom is the town as versatile as that,
and it seemed very gay with people on
the streets all dressed up "going some-
where."

So many are moving these days, that
the front page of Local News Notes
makes the paper seem like "Moving
Day Number." These movers are like
the players in the game of Puss-in-the-
Corner, and a nice little evening's
entertainment might be derived by
starting with the occupants of one
house and following the chain. For
instance, Mr. Brown moved to Mr.
Jones' house; Mr. J. went to Mr.
Smith's etc., until you finally get back
to Mr. B.

The Woman's Relief Corps thanks
the citizens of Andover for their gener-
ous helpfulness at the May Breakfast.
What about the citizens returning
bountiful appreciation to the Relief
Corps for giving them such a delicious
breakfast, fine lively music, and a
general get-together good time? The
more times like that, the better, is the
humble opinion of

On his last birthday, January first,
he was greatly cheered and surprised
by scores of greetings and remem-
brances from friends of early and
later days, from all over the country, and
thoughtfulness and heart satisfac-
tion in their many later shut in
days.

Besides his immediate family, he
leaves two sisters, Mrs. John R. Hig-
gins of Winthrop and Mrs. Frances
E. Pearson of Portland, Me.

The funeral service was held at his
home on Sunday afternoon, at
three o'clock, and was conducted by his
pastor, Rev. E. A. Wilson of the Free
Church. A quartette from the church,
including Misses Mary W. Scott and
Jean D. Jones, and Messrs. George A.
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Mr. J. J.'s favorite hymns. A selection
from "The Snowbound" specially
composed for the family's home life,
was also read in the service.

Beautiful flowers in great abundance,
the gifts of friends far and near, added
to cheer and color and fragrance.

A brief funeral service followed at
the burial, at the new part of Spring
Cove cemetery.

The bereaved were Messrs. Fred and
Henry Hight, brothers-in-law of Mr.
Perry, and Mrs. Charles B. Baldwin
and Frederick B. Goff, two of his
personal friends.

The funeral was held this morning at
nine o'clock, at St. Augustine's church,
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and stand four square with those who will think, even though they may not speak!

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Winthrop, on October 6, 1903, brought
great joy into his life, for he was in-
tensely fond of his home, and found
happiness, rest and inspiration in his
family circle.

Four children blessed his life, and are
now heretofore of his devoted care. They
are—Randolph Hight, Ruth Mason,
Elizabeth Norris and William Norris
Perry.

His love of literature and of nature,
his eager interest in current events, his
keen appreciation of the good, the true
and the beautiful, his warm friendship,
his grateful recognition of the slightest
favor, his unselfish spirit, his cheerful
patience under increasing weakness and
discomfort of body, make his memory a
joy and an inspiration to all who mourn
his loss.

He was a member of the Andover
Club, and in his days of health, found
pleasure in association with its members.
He was vice-president of the Free
Church Men's Club and efficiently
used his talents for its service, and for
the Sunday School.

His months of illness were blessed
by the tender care and devotion of his
wife and family, and by little attentions
of neighbors and friends.

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monia.

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have moved into the two family house
at the foot of High street, recently pur-
chased by him from Mrs. Joseph Rand.

Miss Georgiana Lovejoy has left her
position in the office of the superinten-
dent of schools and her work has been
undertaken by Miss Emily Walker, a
senior in the High School.

W. J. Burke and family, who formerly
lived at the rear of 20 Maple avenue,
have moved into a house on Pine street.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morrissey have
moved into the house vacated by the
Burkes.

Mrs. Ada Torrey and family of 3
Punchard avenue, have moved into
the Henry Barnard house on High
street. The Barnards have moved
into the home of the late Madame
Barnard.

The Harvard 1922 track team de-
feated the Phillips Academy academy
track team in the opening dual meet of
the season for both teams, by the score
of 59 1/2 to 18 1/2 on the Andover track on
Saturday afternoon.

Private John Joseph Stack, son of
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stack of Pear-
son street, was mustered out of service
at Camp Devens last week, and is now
at his home. Private Stack was wound-
ed in the leg last September, but he is
wholly recovered.

Captain Archibald Roosevelt is to be
present this year at the Phillips Acad-
emy commencement. He was gradu-
ated in 1913, and at the outbreak
of the war served first in the British
army and later in the American army.
He was wounded last year and came
home several months ago.

Mrs. P. J. Donovan of Elm street,
took the part of "Josephine" in the
successful performance of Gilbert and
Sullivan's famous "H. M. S. Pinafore,"
which was given Sunday at the Law-
rence Colonial Theatre. The proceeds
were for the Welcome Home Fund of
Lawrence. In the cast was also, Wm.
M. Coutts, formerly of this town.

Three alarms for brush fires called
out the department on Sunday. Nearly
eighty acres of land were burned be-
tween George Millett's and M. N. Con-
verse's and with no water available, the
firemen had to work with shovels and
chemicals. The other fires were near
St. Augustine's cemetery and at Pump's
Pond.

Games and dancing and refreshments
were the enjoyed features of the bundle
party held last Friday evening by the
Ladies' Auxiliary to the Andover
Workman hall. The committee in
charge was composed of Mrs. Collier,
chairman; Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Murray,
Mrs. McGrath, Miss McGrath, Mrs.
Milnes Mrs. Smith and Miss Porter.

Abbot Academy Notes

On Saturday, May 10th, at three
o'clock, the students of Abbot Academy
will enjoy a rare privilege in an inter-
pretation (in French) of Moliere's
"Ecole des Maris" by Madame Suzanne
Bing.

Madame Bing is the leading woman
of the company of able French actors
who for the past two winters have pre-
sented the great French comedies in
the "Theatre du Vieux Colombier" in
New York, with conspicuous success.
She is at her best in her rendering of
Moliere.

The reading will be given in Davis
Hall. It is hoped that all lovers of
France and of French literature, will
avail themselves of this unusual oppor-
tunity to hear a great masterpiece pre-
sented by a great actress.

The vocal pupils of Miss Mabel
Adams Bennett will give their annual
recital in Davis Hall, Saturday after-
noon, May 17th, at quarter past three
o'clock.

Mrs. Ellen Emerson Cary, Abbot
Academy '78, spent last week-end at the
Academy. Since graduating from Ab-
bot, Mrs. Cary has been under the
Congregational Board of Missions in
Kyoto, Japan. At the Sunday evening
service and Monday chapel service,
Mrs. Cary spoke of Japan, especially
the old and new customs, relating to
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at 2:30 o'clock, with Mrs. Ab-
raham Clemens, Andover street.

The annual meeting of the Cong-
regational Sunday School for the eleventh
of officers was held Thursday evening
in connection with the week service.

The reports of the officers and
committees showed the school to be in
a very flourishing condition. The fol-
lowing named persons were elected
officers for the ensuing year: superin-
tendent, William Shaw; assessors, at so-
ciety, Philip H. Starnard, Rev.
A. H. Fuller, secretary, Miss F. and
Buck, treasurer, Mrs. E. J. Sullivan;
auditor, Robert W. Staff; superin-
tendent home department, Mrs. R.
M. Haynes; superintendent of the
Roll department, Mrs. R. F. Stal-
d; superintendent primary department,
Miss Edith Greenwood; assistant su-
perintendent primary department, Mrs.
William F. Doudy; librarian, Steve
Byington; organist, Miss Christine
Larland; collector, Gardner W. Shaw
in charge of hymn books, Helen Hayes
committee for Christmas concert, Mrs.
William Shaw, with power to select
other helpers; committee for Christmas
entertainment, Miss Henderson's com-
mittee for Easter concert, the
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MEMORIAL DAY PLANS COMPLETE

G. A. R. Glad To Know "Our Boys" Are Home. Hope To Make the Day a Thanksgiving. Rev. E. H. Prescott, Orator.

The day is once more approaching on which, each year, we pay tribute to our Soldier Dead. We honor the Soldiers of '75 who fought for the independence of these United States; the Soldiers of '61 who fought that the Union might be preserved; the Soldiers of '98 who fought for and won the liberation of an ignorant people from Spanish oppression, and who have since made such a splendid little republic.

And now we are to honor the Soldiers of '17, "OUR BOYS" who fought to make the entire world "Safe for Democracy" and who have so gloriously won the victory. Andover is thanking God continuously, that the fortunes of war have been so kind to this town and is rejoicing that we have so few graves of "OUR BOYS" to decorate this year, rejoicing also that the "Boys" are home again and are to be with us and to have a part in the exercises of the day.

The details of the program will be much the same as in former years and are as follows: Comrades of Post No. 99, G. A. R.; Wounded soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American and Allied Armies, discharged or still in the service, and members of Camp No. 111 Sons of

MASS MEETING TUESDAY

Service Men to Plan for Andover Post of American Legion

Arrangements have been made for a mass meeting of all service men on the evening of Tuesday, May 20th, at eight o'clock, in the Town Hall to consider the formation in Andover of a post of the American Legion. The American Legion is a nation-wide organization, open to all persons who have been in the military, naval, or marine service of the United States, or her Allies, during the Great War. It is a non-partisan, non-sectarian patriotic body, formed to perpetuate the spirit and comradeship aroused by the war.

At the recent convention of the Legion at St. Louis the delegates, over a thousand in number, took a decisive stand against Bolshevism and all the forces of disorder, and declared unanimously for undiluted Americanism. A wise feature of the Legion is the provision that previous army and navy rank shall have no weight. Officers and enlisted men meet on even terms and

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

George A. Abbott of High street, has resumed his duties in the office of the Smith and Dove Mfg. Company.

Miss Jessie Nicoll left last week for Vancouver, B. C., where she will live with her brother, Andrew Nicoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wormald have moved into the house on Temple Place formerly occupied by the Burkhols.

George Collins and Harold Larkin, who returned with Battery F, began work again at the Andover Press on Monday.

The Andover Mothers' Club recently gave \$10.00 to the children of Stowe School to be used toward athletic expenses.

Miss Mary J. Ingram of Salem street has returned to her home after a several weeks' visit with relatives in Chicago, Illinois.

Dr. and Mrs. James R. Fuller have returned to their home on Central street after a pleasant winter spent in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Nathan C. Hamblin is substituting for Miss Simmons who is ill. She is the English instructor at Pynchard High School.

Miss Lillian McCarthy of Wolcott avenue is substituting in the public schools for Mrs. Margaret Kimball, whose brother recently died.

The Tyler Rubber Company is having built a new house for the storing of cement. This building is being erected in the rear of factory No. 2.

Andover easily won a victory from M. I. T. freshmen last Saturday at a track meet. The score was 79 to 29 with Kennedy as an individual star for P. A.

A Boys' and Girls' Club in home canning, pig raising and gardens is being organized in Andover among the school children. Those who are over ten years of age who wish to join the club, may send their names to Mrs. J. J. Feeney, Holt Rd., telephone 425w.

Several Andover people greatly enjoyed the Minstrel Show given last Friday evening at the City Armory for the benefit of the Lawrence General hospital. The actors, most of whom were amateurs, showed the excellent training of their director, A. A. Schaeke while Judge L. A. Cox made a fine interlocutor.

Officer James Napier who has been night patrolman for the past ten years has been transferred to the day force and began his duties Friday. Leonard Saunders, recently appointed by the selectmen has taken officer Napier's place on the night force. Mr. Napier is senior officer of the force and his faithful service has been rewarded by his transfer to day duty. He will patrol the square and also act during the absence of Chief Smith on court or other duties.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Holy Cross Freshmen gave Andover their first baseball defeat Wednesday, with a score of 6 to 1.

Tyer Rubber Company's baseball team lost to South Lawrence A. A. Saturday, by the score of 5 to 1.

Miss Mary M. Cronin of Flint's Court has accepted a position as assistant bookkeeper with Nasella Brothers in Boston.

Garfield temple, Pythian Sisters, No. 56, attended the reception to Grand Chief Maud S. Bradstreet, given by Louise Gale temple in Lawrence, on Wednesday evening.

Dr. Claude M. Fuess is the author of "Phillips Academy in the Great War," a record of the school's part in the Great War. This book will be ready for commencement week.

Mrs. Agnes Gillen who has been very ill at her home on Summer street, is beginning to recover. Her son, James Gillen, has been discharged from service and is at home with his mother.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Phillips Academy Chapel held Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. M. W. Stackpole, Mrs. Stackpole was elected president and Mrs. John L. Phillips secretary and treasurer.

The Natural History society will hold its regular meeting at the home of Miss Harriet Towne, on the Salem Turnpike, North Andover, Tuesday afternoon, May 20th. Those who wish to go will please be ready to leave the park at 3:45 p. m.

Lieut. George E. Abbott, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Abbot of Central street, starred on the baseball team of the University of Paris in a league game between that University and the University of Lyons. His team won 4 to 3.

Miss Ruth B. Mitchell gave a song recital in Ware, May 3rd. The following week she spent in Hartford, Conn., as a delegate to the Eastern Music Supervisors Conference. Miss Mitchell is spending this week-end with friends in Springfield, Mass., attending the Music Festival.

Miss Lily Blomquist was given a delightful surprise party last week at the home of Mrs. Schneider on Pine street. Lovely and useful gifts were "showered" on her for her new home, and a pleasant evening was the result of all her friends' manifested good wishes for her.

The annual Lincoln Spelling Match is to be held this evening in the town hall at 7:30 o'clock. So many entered the contest that it was necessary to hold preliminary contests in the schools and only twenty-five will take part tonight. Dr. Conroy will preside, Prof. Forbes will give out the words and A. W. Leonard will be the umpire.

Private Alexander Forsythe was discharged from service at Camp Dix last week, and has returned to his home on Temple place. He enlisted with the British Navy at the beginning of the war and when our country entered, he was able to get a discharge and enlist in the American army. He has been overseas with the 28th division for over a year.

Next Friday evening in the town hall, the Knights of Columbus will give a play and dance. The play, "Captain Cranberry," is being directed by Herbert Ford and the cast has been working hard with him to make their production successful. Following the play, dancing to the P. A. jazz band will be enjoyed. The committee is: Frank Keefe, chairman; Michael Brennan, Gus Sullivan, John Alexander, Joseph Hickey, William Tammann, John Harnedy, Joseph McNally, John Leary, Herbert Allison, John Winters.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

John Bain who died in Lawrence on Saturday, was known to many Andover people as he came many years ago, as a pioneer to the Smith and Dove Mfg. Co.

Mrs. E. J. Fletcher has returned to her home on Salem street, after spending several months in Mayberry, West Virginia, with her daughter, Mrs. John H. Field.

Sergt. Thaxter Eaton was recently transferred to the Cantonment Headquarters Detachment, and is chief clerk at the Camp Surgeon's office at Camp Devens.

Mrs. Edward Brown and her little daughter, of Providence, R. I., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe K. Cole on Elm street.

Harry Armour who has been in France with the MacLean Kilites, C. E. F., has arrived in Halifax. He expects to be discharged soon and come home to Andover.

Byron Morrill, who was unable to come home with the other Battery F, Andover Boys, because of illness, has been mustered out of service and is at his home on Chestnut street.

Those who heard the singing at the South Church on Sunday greatly enjoyed J. Everett Collins as bass and Miss Melda Bedell of Lawrence, as altoist, the new soloists for the choir.

Private Francis L. Zeechini came home from Camp Devens last Saturday after having been overseas for a year with the 77th Division. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Zeechini.

Rain was the reason why Andover and the Harvard freshmen teams did not play out the game Saturday. The score at the ninth inning was 4 to 1 and Durant's home run was an exciting feature of the game.

Corp. Frank B. R. Valpey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Valpey of Elm street, arrived in New York City from Bordeaux Monday, on the Alaskan. He is in the 82nd Division and went at once to Camp Upton from which place he hopes to be soon discharged from service.

The Andover Mothers' Club movies were certainly a great success yesterday, and the theatre was overflowing with interested patrons. There were about eleven hundred people there at all four performances. The mothers wish to thank the public for their generous patronage.

Word has been received of the death last evening, after a few hours' illness, of Mrs. William B. Carpenter, leaving a son, Henry, who is still in service in France, and a daughter, Miriam, a junior in Badcliffe. Her husband, who was the son of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Carpenter, died in 1916.

Instead of the regular drill at the Borden gymnasium last Thursday evening, Capt. Page took Company H out on a hike to Pomp's Pond. Skirmish work was done by the two platoons under Lieuts. Chapin and Billington. The following received marksmen badges: Sergt. Henry A. Bodwell, Sergt. W. D. Yates, Corp. David Robb, Privates Davis, McGalla, King and Smyth.

Those who had charge of the successful sale that was held last Friday by the Woman's Guild of Christ Church were: Mrs. Ashley Watson, Mrs. Frank B. Grant, Mrs. Thomas Allen, Mrs. C. W. Henry, Mrs. Wm. B. Higgins, Mrs. J. Harry Kuder, Mrs. J. H. Flint, Miss Clara Thompson and Mrs. A. E. Hume. The Playdon store was crowded with eager buyers and the good things to eat were quickly sold, making a good sum of money to go toward the parish house kitchen fund.

PUNCHARD HAD MEMORABLE PARTY

Over Two Hundred Loyal Alumni Present at Big Reunion and Welcome Home. Three Present From Class of 1859.

ATHLETICS IN FRANCE

Frank L. Quinby Tells of Training French Officers in Team Games

As a one way transport Y. M. C. A. worker, I sailed from New York the latter part of April, 1918, on board H. M. S. Mauretania, which had on board, I understood, nearly 10,000 troops from Camp Gordon.

There was another "Y" man aboard in the same capacity, and it was our job to attend to the recreation of the troops and officers during the trip. This was not an easy matter, as every inch of space was taken up by the men and most of the time was occupied in boat drills. Moreover, the ship's officers would not consent to any large groups forming in any portion of the ship. We did succeed, however, in seeing that all the men had a chance to send a final word home before the vessel sailed. We distributed about ten cases of books during the voyage and any quantity of magazines, writing paper, pencils, Bibles, games, etc. From time to time we had boxing exhibitions, movies, entertainments and calisthenics, while we visited all parts of the ship talking to the troops and the sick, both the homesick and the seelsick.

The trip was delightful and was made without convoy. The Mauretania being very fast, this did not seem necessary; but we were met in the danger zone, one day out from England, by four American destroyers. We landed in Liverpool and Mole, my Y partner, and I along with the other casual officers (some fifteen in all) under command of Major Allan Pinkerton, P. S. '97, proceeded to Paris via London, Southampton and Havre. I was in Paris for three weeks awaiting assignment. This was certainly an interesting period, for May, 1918, the boches were coming south towards Soissons, and threatening Paris. In addition to this, air raids took place three or four times a week and "Big

Then everybody sat down at the flower decked tables and Rev. Harry S. Lowd, in the absence of Rev. William G. Poor who was unable to be present, pronounced the invocation. This was concluded by the beautiful chanting of the Lord's Prayer by the Lotus male quartet of Boston.

With red, white and blue bunting, flags and banners; with white nodding daisies, yellow cowslips in pots and vases on the tables, with Bardsley's orchestra playing patriotic and well-known selections, all making a pleasant setting for the festive occasion, the following menu was served by Caterer Rhodes: roast turkey, gilette, gravy, cranberry sauce, olives, radishes, mashed

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Seldom does a school receive a more enthusiastic and loyal tribute than was paid on Tuesday evening to Pynchard High School by her alumni and present students.

Beautiful weather, lively music, good food and the gaily decorated hall all combined to put everybody in a fine good humor, and the very fact that the affair was a reunion to welcome home those who had been representing the school in service made the two hundred and fifty people glad to be there.

From 6:30 to 7:00 o'clock a social get-together time was spent in the corridor downstairs; then a procession was formed, led by the class of 1859, followed by the representatives of the succeeding classes and concluded by the forty men who had returned from service. This section was marshalled by Principal Nathan C. Hamblin and president Harry Sellars of the alumni association, and was led by Major Roy A. Daniels and Rev. Harry S. Lowd. As they entered the hall, already filled with the hosts and hostesses of the evening who were standing at their tables, they received a rousing applause of welcome.

Principal Hamblin, in behalf of Pynchard, spoke a few words of welcome, then president Sellars told them how glad the whole alumni association were to have them home again. He mentioned the fact that there were present three members from the first class to graduate: Miss -Charlotte Helen Abbott, Mrs. Joseph W. Smith and Judge George H. Poor. These were loudly applauded.

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in song and story, will begin an en-
gagement extraordinary at the Colonial

Theatre Thursday and Friday, May

22 and 23rd. General attention was

first directed to this Scriptural story, as

transplanted to the stage, when Ri-
chard Strauss' grand opera of that name,

with Mary Garden in the title role, was

banned at the Metropolitan Opera

House after its first performance.

Miss Bara's proven proficiency as a

portrayer of super-woman warrants the

assumption that in the character of

Salome she, above all others who in-
terpreted the role in one guise or another,

reveals the true psychology of this

strange creature of history. A further

virtue, it is pointed out, is that no undue

liberties have been taken with the story

for theatrical effect. In the main, the

account given of the dancer, his blood

fairly runs cold at the realization of the

deadly game she is playing.

"Salome" as impersonated by Theda

Bara, is probably the most sinister, yet

fascinating figure from the blood-
stained pages of Biblical history that

has ever been thrown on the screen.

HOLLIS

Laurette Taylor begins on Monday,

the second month of her extraordinarily

successful engagement at the Hollis

Street Theatre in "Happiness," a

character comedy by J. Hartley Man-
ners. Reserved until the close of the

theatrical season, this star and play

have proved the most enjoyable di-
version of the year. For the past two

years Miss Taylor has played in New

York continuously, and in fact, for the

six years, aside from a year spent in

London she has made only occasional

appearances away from Broadway. She

is unquestionably the most popular

actress of the day with New York

theatregoers. Her vehicle, "Happi-
ness," serves to illustrate her art as no

other play she has ever presented. It

was written by her playwright husband,

J. Hartley Manners. Since she electrified

the theatrical world with her per-
formance of "Peg" in Mr. Manners'

"Peg O' My Heart," he has written only

for her.

Her rare accomplishment—the art

of concealing art—is one of the highest

developments of acting. It must be

instinctive. It cannot be acquired.

Throughout the whole history of the

theatre the actor or actress, who is the

fortunate possessor of it has enjoyed

to the highest degree the affections of

the public.

In "Happiness" Miss Taylor plays a

poor girl apprenticed to a dressmaker

who though devoid of the world's goods,

is blessed with a fund of good cheer and

optimism that assist her to rise in the

business world. She is supported by

practically the same company that

helped to make "Happiness" such a

success at the Criterion Theatre, New

York.

COPELEY

"Chains," a comedy of the English

life of today written by Elizabeth

Baker, will be given at the Copley

Repertory Theatre next Monday even-

during which time four of the most
popular of the Gilbert and Sullivan
operas will be presented.—"The Mi-
kado," "Pirates of Penzance," "The
Gondoliers" and "Pinafore."

South Church Notes

The Men's Club enjoyed their "La-
dies' night" entertainment to the full.
Mr. Walter Eccles was at his best and
the singing by Messrs. Collins and Hill
was enthusiastically encored. The offi-
cers elected for the next year are: Presi-
dent, Henry C. Sanborn; first vice-
president, Philip French; second vice-
president, E. E. Hammond; treasurer,
James Morris; secretary, Frank L.
Brigham. The year closed with a
good balance in the treasury and a
record of good attendance, despite
the difficulties of war and epidemics.

At the teachers' meeting and supper
on Monday evening there was a large
attendance notwithstanding the rain
storm. Much new business was planned
for the coming season. The graduation
exercises and the annual picnic were
provided for at the closing days of
the month of June.

The union service of the Free and
South churches for Memorial Sunday,
May 24th, promises to be a very large
one. Notices are to be sent to all of
the returned soldiers and sailors for whom
seats will be reserved as well as for the
Grand Army Posts and their auxiliaries.
The sermon will be preached by Captain
Stackpole, who went to France as
chaplain of the 102nd regiment. The
service will be both a memorial for all
soldiers who have passed to their
heavenly reward as well as a thank-
giving for the return of so many of our
young men.

Mother of "Air Poet" Dead

The mother of Jack Wright the author
of "A Poet of the Air" died Sunday
in New York City after a long illness.
Mrs. Sarah Green Wise, wife of John
S. Wise, Jr., was a sculptor of note
and a pupil of Rodin. Her son, Jack
Morris Wright, lost his life in the
United States Aviation Service in
France on January 21, 1918 and was
graduated from Phillips Academy in
the class of 1917. His letters to his
mother were published in the Atlantic
Monthly under the title, "A Poet of the
Air," and attracted great interest.

All last year Mrs. Wise had opened
her studio and commodious yard at 7
West Ninth street, as a "Rendezvous
des Poilus," where thousands of French
sailors and soldiers, as well as service
men of the Allies and America's own,
found recreation and refreshment. Un-
til her illness prevented, Mrs. Wise
helped entertain these men in memory
of her son.

It radiated "home" in a measure
all out of proportion to its size.
The daughter of the house had
chosen it as her own little apartment
because of its sunny bay window.
"Thanks to the National Biscuit
Company and the other packers of
good things," said the girl, "I can
live well without a kitchen." A
thick, warm-toned rug invited
one to lounge on the floor, while the
big, fringed cushions scattered about
gave evidence of the girl's taste.
Through the curtain and double-
sashed windows a meadow gave away
to hills which rolled into each other
until they were lost in the distance.
The girl's eyes were so strong
cheeriness that almost all mid-
weather ailments were banished.
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All there
is to say
about soda
crackers.

Do you wonder the little circle
of friends grew closer, day by day,
chatting in the sunny bay win-
dow, sipping tea or coffee and nib-
bling little piles of chicken sand-

only be acquired by leaving with the
communities the solution of their
problems. If you permit that sense
of responsibility to dwindle and perish,
you have lost your school of political
education, and when you have lost that,
what inspiration can the government at
Washington draw from the people?

"One of the things that the people
reserved to themselves was the regula-
tion of the franchise. This question
before us, therefore, resolves itself into
one of the right of the people in im-
portant affairs. The proposal now pending
is that the states no longer by popular
referendum, shall be permitted to
decide this thing for themselves. That
is the whole issue."

Meeting Well Attended

In spite of the raging storm, Tremont
Temple was filled on Monday evening at
a meeting called by The Woman's
Anti-Suffrage Association of Massa-
chusetts, as a protest against Bolshe-
vism, Socialism and Woman Suffrage.

Delegates from North Andover and
Andover were present. From start to
finish the meeting was an eloquent
appeal for good government, state
rights and fair play; there was a dignity
and calmness of expression not always
in evidence in political meetings. The
tactics of suffragists assuming that their
views are the only ones worth mention-
ing, and jeering at their opponents were
not followed, but only frank and fearless
facts clearly expressed. Senator Wad-
sworth, "the courageous man" received
a perfect ovation, the immense audience
rising, with a few exceptions, and the
reason for their indifference should have
been the reason for their absence.

In part Senator Wadsworth said:
"We have forgotten from time to
time that for successful government in
any country such as ours, you must
encourage in the communities, that
sense of civic responsibility which can

Music like the other arts is the pro-
duct of the human mind tending to
ennoble, and idealize the materials
furnished by nature.

Joseph Emile Daudet, former pupil
of the famous Paris Conservatoire, at
the Briggs-Alton School Saturdays,
other days at Steinert Hall, Boston.

Violin Lessons

MILEAGE

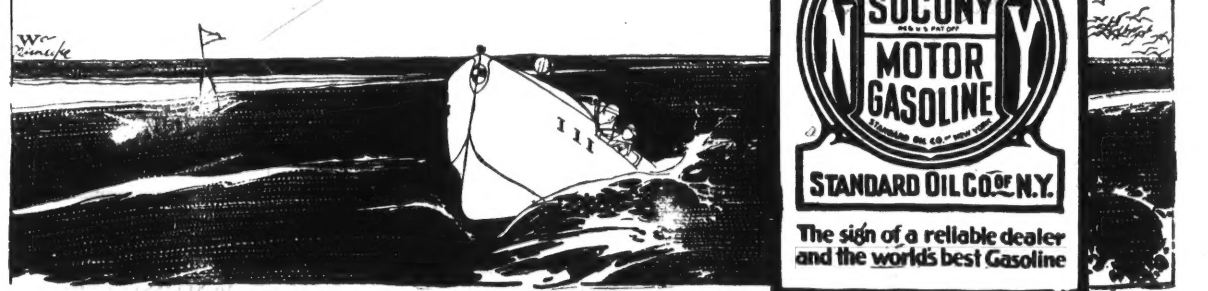


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Christ Church Notes

The preacher on Sunday at the 10:30 service will be the Rev. Frederic Palmer, D. D., formerly rector of Christ Church, about fourteen on the Honor Roll of Christ Church have not yet returned from service. We shall hope to have a Parish welcome ready for all of them this coming autumn.

Meeting at Mrs. Page's

The annual meeting of the Andover Equal Suffrage League will be held at the home of Mrs. Pierson S. Page, Main street, on Monday, May 20th, at 3:00 p. m. Mrs. Tillinghast of the Mass. Woman's Suffrage Association will be the speaker and tea will be served. All women interested are urged to be present.

AMY F. TROW, Secretary

ATHLETICS IN FRANCE

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Bertha" was "strafing" the town. At nightfall the city was absolutely dark, but the theatres were open and the normal life went on much as usual. Very little actual damage was done and few people killed at that time. I understand.

I was assigned to the French army and was to go to Braisne, near Soissons, the 30th of May. On that very day, however, the Germans took the two towns, capturing much material, so I was transferred to Moncel, a small town near Laneville, about ten kilometres behind the front and near the Vosges mountains. I was the only American in the town, though there were American troops on the left at Toul and to our right at Baccarat, and

France, and two in north Africa, Tunis and Algiers, where officers and men are sent to learn the exercises and games taught in the French army and in the schools.

Before the war, practically all of the French physical work was based on the Swedish system of weight lifting and calisthenics, and the only really recreational competitive game was football, — mostly soccer, though they had a few rugby teams in the larger cities.

The result was that the country had a few specialists who were very good at wrestling, climbing, jiu-jitsu, boxing and running, but it was practically all individual work. They had little idea of team work, or competitive sports, or recreative games for amusement and exercise, either in the army or in the schools. Four years of war brought home this lack to the French, especially as they compared their athletics with

After about a month with these teachers, and we had laid out our fields, we commenced the course for the students. This course lasted about two weeks for each lot, and comprised the full course of French and American games, calisthenics, etc. The students were fresh from the army, or rather tired from the army, and were often men forty to fifty years old. Towards the end, however, we got quite a number of younger men. When they finished at our school they were sent to their homes or remained in that vicinity, where, until they were relieved by the younger classes, as demobilized, they taught the same thing to the children.

The army work will be done by the younger men when demobilized, and they will, after a course at one of the centers, become permanent teachers in the army schools.

125 IN CHORUS

Bradford and Phillips Academies in Joint Concert to Give Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise"

On Wednesday evening, May 28th, in the chapel of Phillips Academy, the combined choirs of Bradford and Phillips Academies assisted by the Andover Choral Society and an orchestra from Boston, will give a performance of Mendelssohn's cantata "A Hymn of Praise." The chorus will number about one hundred and twenty-five, and the concert promises to be the best choral rendition Andover has had in a number of years. The soloists will be Mrs. F. G. Moore of Andover, soprano, and Mr. George Boynton of Boston, tenor. Tickets at fifty cents can be procured from members of the Andover Choral Society, at the Andover Book-store or at the treasurer's office at Phillips Academy. It may be well to procure tickets in season, as the capacity of the chapel will probably be taxed to its limit.

Ladies' Mission Circle Had Spring Meeting

Smiling May, peach and cherry bloom, wide reaches of green turf, outdoors, and a pleasant home, a good program, and a dozen ladies, indoors, combined to make a most attractive meeting of the Ladies' Mission Circle of the Baptist church, which met on May 8th with the Misses Caldwell, Elm street.

Interesting letters from our Alaskan Mission and from Mather School, South Carolina, were read. Mrs. Mary S. Jackson had charge of the program, on "Christian Americanization." Befitting the springtime, the thought of garden making was carried out, — plowing, planting, seed, growth, harvest. The purpose of the garden was shown in Isaiah 61: 11, — "so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations."

Ways for meeting the challenge of our nation in these days of unrest and reconstruction were discussed. The spirit of friendliness in service needs to be continually maintained, especially among those not understanding the principles of Christ as lived in a democracy. It has been well said, "Of all the means which are being used for the work of Americanization that of Evangelization is the cheapest for its prosecution, the quickest for its results and the most fruitful for its achievements."

The Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society has responded to the challenge of Christian Americanization with the construction of community buildings, the slogan being, "Twenty-five Christian centers in twenty-five cities." Already, eleven are in operation, working among many nationalities.

The meeting closed with earnest prayers for deeper interest and participation in our widening outlook and work in the coming days of so great significance for the world.

Abbott Academy Notes

The vocal pupils of Miss Mabel Adams Bennett, assisted by the Glee Club and members of the violin and cello departments, will give their annual recital in Davis Hall, Saturday afternoon, May 17th, at quarter past three o'clock.

Reverend J. Edgar Park of West Newton conducted the Sunday evening service in Abbott Hall, May 11th. Mr. Park spoke most convincingly of the variety of the work done by Y. M. C. A. men in cantonments in this country.

At morning chapel, Thursday, May 15th, members of Abbott Academy enjoyed the unusual privilege of hearing first-hand news of Serbia from Miss Amelia Tieston, who has been with the Serbian army in relief work for some time past. Miss Tieston emphasized the many splendid qualities of Serbian character, particularly democracy, eagerness to learn better things, unflinching gratitude, and extreme cleanliness. Of the importance of the Serbians' last offensive in the autumn of 1918, too much cannot be said for they contributed a large share in the final weakening of the central powers. Miss Tieston also spoke of the never-to-be-forgotten atrocities of the Bulgarians in Serbia which rank with those of the Germans in France and Belgium.

The reading of Moliere's comedy, "L'École de Maris" by Madame Suzanne Bing, on May 10th, was more than enjoyable. Madame Bing's interpretation was excellent, fully bringing out the humor of the play.

Sunday School Teachers Met

The last meeting of the season was held by the Sunday School teachers of the South Church on Monday evening. In spite of a steady downpour of rain, twenty-six teachers and officers were present to enjoy a beautiful supper prepared and served by the following: Mrs. Gertrude Bergstrom, Mrs. Mary T. Bushnell, Mrs. F. G. Cheney, Mrs. Frank L. Cole, Mrs. Florence I. Abbott, Louise Hardy, Dorothy Bushnell, Marion Barnard, Ethel Cole and Mr. Francis H. Foster.

The supper consisted of meat balls, macaroni with tomato, vegetable salad, rolls, coffee and banana shortcake and was served at tables made attractive with bouquets of apple blossoms, roses and carnations.

At eight o'clock the business meeting was held with Mr. Bassett presiding, and Miss N. H. Farmer acting as secretary pro tem.

W. S. S.

Keep your interest working. Exchange Liberty Coupons due May 15th, for Thrift or War Savings Stamps. Make your interest make more interest.



later in June, July and August, when the Americans began to arrive in large numbers, we saw many "Yanks." My job here, was to provide the French troops that were stationed there, or passed through, with as many of the necessities as possible, to visit the artillery crews near us, and to pass out cigarettes and give them a chance for sports and recreations when off duty.

No organized sports could be run off because the time could not be arranged for in advance. Then, too, a crowd would have attracted the attention of German airmen who were overhead nearly every day, watching the roads; but we did have informal games of soccer and basketball, and I did some work with the school children also. The boch seldom came over on raids during the day, contenting himself with staying out of reach of the anti-aircraft guns about ten to twelve thousand feet up, observing and taking pictures. Then at night he would raid the towns on both sides of us. It was on the whole, a very quiet sector, until it became an American sector, because wherever there were Americans, trouble started.

The middle of September I was called to Paris, and was in Toul the night the attack on St. Mihiel commenced, and saw plainly, the barrage sent up by the Americans, which was said to be the heaviest up to that time, ever sent up.

The French Government has ten centres of physical instruction; eight in

those of the English, Australian and American troops all of whom had a better idea of team work and were vastly superior physically. The French were quick to recognize this, and asked the French department of the Y. M. C. A., known as the "Foyer du Soldat" if they would furnish an American for each of these centers, to teach the American games. The requirements for an instructor would be a knowledge of the games, and how to teach them, and also a knowledge of the French language.

We were sent for ten days to Joinville, the part near Paris on the river Marne, to demonstrate our games to Commandant La Brosse, the officer in command there, and the chief of the physical work in the army.

This demonstration resulted in our small army games — volley-ball, basketball and baseball being put in the programme of required work, and we were sent out to our centers to see that the programme was put over. I was sent to Antibes on the Mediterranean near Nice, one of the largest centers, because the climate is good and the weather like spring all year round. I had about fifteen monitors, or teachers, who acted as the regular staff, and who were familiar with the French system, but had to be taught our games. They took to our games very readily and enjoyed them, all but baseball, which is absolutely beyond them at present.

Often the men we got were too old to be good teachers of anything, and were not interested or interesting; but, as all of France from eighteen to forty-five years old was mobilized, it was a case of necessity.

It is surely true that only a beginning has been made, for France is not an athletic nation, and old customs and habits do not change over night in a country like France. But they are playing some of our games over there now, and they will play more. A good start has been made but this will have to be continued until a love of the outdoors is inculcated in the youngsters, and until inspiring and able teachers are on the job in all the schools. Then France may make England and the U. S. hustle in the athletic world!

FRANK L. QUINBY

The photograph shows a basketball game between the French "Monitors" from Mr. Quinby's school in Antibes, and an American Medical unit's picked team. Our men are in khaki, while the French are in white.

The game was played on the 26th of last January at Games in the south of France, where winter is like summer. This is the municipal casino which was taken over by the Y. M. C. A. and which made an ideal place in which to have concerts, their large canteen, out-of-door sports; in fact, all kinds of entertainments was furnished at this leave center. In the background is the beautiful Mediterranean Sea.

PUNCHARD'S PARTY

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potatoes, green peas, lobster patties, sultana roll, wine sauce, fancy cakes, rolls and coffee.

Artistic souvenir programs were at the tables for everybody and these contained, as special features, a picture of Old Punchard hall and a list of those who lost their lives in the service. They were:

Second lieutenant Thomas E. Carter, class of 1913, Company G, 308th Infantry. Killed in action, November 4, 1918; Michael Joseph Daly, class of 1913, 119th Heavy Artillery. Died of wounds September 2, 1918; John J. Gagan, class of 1903, Medical Department, first Gas Regiment. Killed in action, November 1, 1918; Thomas W. Platt, Jr., class of 1913, U. S. Naval Reserves. Died of pneumonia, October 14, 1918; George W. Simpson, class of 1909. Died in training camp, November 9, 1918; T. Palmer Wilcox, class of 1911. Employed in government work. Died at Plant City, Florida, February 3, 1919.

After dinner a most entertaining program was given by the Loftus quartet assisted by Miss Dorothy Berry Carpenter, as reader. The quartet which consists of Robert Martin, first tenor; William Hicks, second tenor; Nelson Raymond, baritone; Lionel MacAdam, bass, was greatly enjoyed and they varied their program by singing of the well-known songs. Miss Carpenter was known to several there, as she used to visit her grand parents in the old Berry house on Salem street, now owned by the Warren Johnsons. Her interpretation of the small boy was delicious and she amused the audience especially in the scenes from Penrod. The program was concluded by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and this seemed to be a splendid way to express the thoughts and feelings of everyone present.

The program:

The Star-Spangled Banner
Quartet and Audience
"For Your Boy and My Boy"
Quartet
Reading, "Making a Man" Frances Herron
Dorothy Berry Carpenter
Baritone Solo, "The Americans Come" Foster
Nelson Raymond
Blue Danube Waltz Strauss
Bass Solo, "The Old Rose Tree" Turkington
Louise MacAdam
Reading, "A Model Letter" Turkington
Dorothy Berry Carpenter
Tenor Solo, "Christ in Flanders" William Hicks
Auld Lang Syne
Quartet and Audience

The floor was then cleared for dancing which was enjoyed to the lively music of Bardsley's orchestra and which continued until one o'clock.

Those who had charge of this long-to-be-remembered affair were the officers of the Alumni association who are: president, Harry Sellers; first vice-president, Edmond E. Hammond; second vice-president, David R. Lawson; third vice-president, Paul R. Abbott; secretary, Ethel A. Hitchcock; treasurer, Frederick E. Cheever; executive committee, Miss Ella Holt, Arthur R. Lewis and Myron E. Gutterston.

They reported that the spirit manifested by everyone, both those who were there and those who could not be present, but who wrote most interested and well-wishing letters, was a delight, — that it more than repaid their efforts to discover such a large and loyal number of alumni and alumnae. At the annual business meeting which was held just before dinner, Harry Sellers presided and the secretary and treasurer read their respective reports.

Philip L. Hardy reported for the nominating committee and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: president, Frederick E. Cheever; first vice-president, Myron E. Gutter-

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ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK

The following pass books issued by the Andover Savings Bank have been lost and application has been made for the issuance of duplicate books.

Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590 of the Acts of 1908. Payment has been stopped.

Book No. 16674

Book No. 24177

Book No. 29961

FREDERIC S. BOUTWELL,

Treasurer

April 25, 1919

ANDOVER CHURCHES



SERVICES FOR COMING WEEK

SOUTH CHURCH

Central Street

Congregational. Organized 1711

Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, Pastor

10:30 Morning service. Sermon by Rev. Fletcher D. Parker, Boston City Missionary.
12:00 Bible School.
6:30 Senior Endeavor.
8:00 Tuesday Christian Endeavor box party in the vestry.
7:45 Wednesday. Midweek service.
8:00 Friday. Choir rehearsal.

WEST CHURCH

Congregational. Organized 1711

Rev. Newman Matt, Pastor

10:30 Public worship with sermon by the Rev. Ernest C. Davis of Methuen.
12:00 Sunday School.
7:00 C. E. meeting led by Mrs. Matthews.
7:00 Service in the Osgood District.
7:45 Wednesday. Meeting for song and prayer.

NORTH PARISH C. U. C.

North Andover Centre

Unitarian. Organized 1645

Rev. Wm. S. Nichols, Minister

Electric cars from Elm Square connect at Wilson. Carver going both ways. Take car leaving Elm Square at 10:15 and transfer to North Andover. A cordial welcome to all.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH

Essex Street.

Roman Catholic. Organized 1850

Rev. Fr. Nugent, Pastor

First Sunday of month. Communion day for children of Mary.
Second Sunday of month. Communion day for Knights of Good Counsel.
Third Sunday of month. Communion day for Holy Name Society.
Fourth Sunday of month. Communion day for children of Mary.
Holy Name Society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.
Altar boys meet first Monday evening of each month.

FREE CHURCH

Elm Street

Congregational. Organized 1846

Rev. Frederick A. Wilson, Pastor

10:30. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
12:00. The Church School.
3:00. The Junior Endeavor Society.
6:30. The Senior Endeavor Society.
Tuesday Evening. Annual Ladies' Night of the Free Church Men's Club. 6:45. supper. 7:45. address by Judge Riley of Malden; recitations by Misses Wilder and Towle and singing by Mrs. Lizzie B. Miller of Lynn and J. Everett Collins.
7:45 Wednesday. Union prayer and conference meeting at South church.
7:00 and 8:00 Thursday. Rehearsals of the choir.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL

"On the Hill"

10:30. Morning service. Preacher, Dr. Lewis Perry, principal of Phillips Exeter Academy.
5:15. Vespers. Speaker, Dr. Paul Revere Frothingham, Arlington Street Church, Boston.
The annual meeting of the members of the Church of Christ in Phillips Academy will be held at the close of the morning service.

CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street

Episcopal. Organized 1835

Rector, Rev. C. W. Henry

9:00. Holy communion.
10:30. Morning prayer and sermon. Preacher, Rev. Frederic Palmer, D.D.
12:00. Church School.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Essex Street

Organized 1832

Rev. E. H. Prescott, Pastor

10:30. Worship with Mothers' Day sermon postponed from last Sunday on account of the stormy weather. Five minute sermon to the Junior Gospel hymn Band.
12:00. The Church School.
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Christ Church Notes

The preacher on Sunday at the 10:30 service will be the Rev. Frederic Palmer, D. D., formerly rector of Christ Church, about fourteen on the Honor Roll of Christ Church have not yet returned from service. We shall hope to have a Parish welcome ready for all of them this coming autumn.

Meeting at Mrs. Page's

The annual meeting of the Andover Equal Suffrage League will be held at the home of Mrs. Pierson S. Page, Main street, on Monday, May 26th, at 3:00 p. m. Mrs. Tillinghast of the Mass. Woman's Suffrage Association will be the speaker and tea will be served. All women interested are urged to be present.

AMY F. TROW, Secretary

ATHLETICS IN FRANCE

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Bertha" was "strafing" the town. At nightfall the city was absolutely dark, but the theatres were open and the normal life went on much as usual. Very little actual damage was done and few people killed at that time, I understand.

I was assigned to the French army and was to go to Braine, near Soissons, the 30th of May. On that very day, however, the Germans took the two towns, capturing much material, so I was transferred to Moncel, a small town near Lunéville, about ten kilometres behind the front and near the Vosges mountains. I was the only American in the town, though there were American troops on the left at Toul and on our right at Baccarat, and

France, and two in north Africa. Tunis and Algiers, where officers and men are sent to learn the exercises and games taught in the French army and in the schools.

Before the war, practically all of the French physical work was based on the Swedish system of weight lifting and calisthenics, and the only really recreational competitive game was football, mostly soccer, though they had a few rugby teams in the larger cities.

The result was that the country had a few specialists who were very good at wrestling, climbing, jiu-jitsu, boxing and running, but it was practically all individual work. They had little idea of team work, or competitive sports, or recreative games for amusement and exercise, either in the army or in the schools. Four years of war brought home this lack to the French, especially as they compared their athletics with

After about a month with these teachers, and we had laid out our fields, we commenced the course for the students. This course lasted about two weeks for each lot, and comprised the full course of French and American games, calisthenics, etc. The students were fresh from the army, or rather tired from the army, and were often men forty to fifty years old. Towards the end, however, we got quite a number of younger men. When they finished at our school they were sent to their homes or remained in that vicinity, where, until they were relieved by the younger classes, as demobilized, they taught the same thing to the children.

The army work will be done by the younger men when demobilized, and they will, after a course at one of the centers, become permanent teachers in the army schools.

125 IN CHORUS

Bradford and Phillips Academies in Joint Concert to Give Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise"

On Wednesday evening, May 28th, in the chapel of Phillips Academy, the combined choirs of Bradford and Phillips Academies assisted by the Andover Choral Society and an orchestra from Boston, will give a performance of Mendelssohn's cantata "A Hymn of Praise." The chorus will number about one hundred and twenty-five, and the concert promises to be the best choral rendition Andover has had in a number of years. The soloists will be Mrs. F. G. Moore of Andover, soprano, and Mr. George Boynton of Boston, tenor. Tickets at fifty cents can be procured from members of the Andover Choral Society, at the Andover Book-store or at the treasurer's office at Phillips Academy. It may be well to procure tickets in season, as the capacity of the chapel will probably be taxed to its limit.

Ladies' Mission Circle Had Spring Meeting

Smiling May, peach and cherry bloom, wide reaches of green turf, outdoors, and a pleasant home, a good program, and a dozen ladies, indoors, combined to make a most attractive meeting of the Ladies' Mission Circle of the Baptist church, which met on May 8th with the Misses Caldwell, Elm street.

Interesting letters from our Alaskan Mission and from Mather School, South Carolina, were read. Mrs. Mary S. Jackson had charge of the program, on "Christian Americanization." Befitting the springtime, the thought of garden making was carried out, - plowing, planting, seed, growth, harvest. The purpose of the garden was shown in Isaiah 61: 11, - "so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations."

Ways for meeting the challenge of our nation in these days of unrest and reconstruction were discussed. The spirit of friendliness in service needs to be continually maintained, especially among those not understanding the principles of Christ as lived in a democracy. It has been well said, "Of all the means which are being used for the work of Americanization that of Evangelization is the cheapest for its prosecution, the quickest for its results and the most fruitful for its achievements."

The Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society has responded to the challenge of Christian Americanization with the construction of "community" buildings, the slogan being, "Twenty-five Christian centers in twenty-five cities." Already, eleven are in operation, working among many nationalities.

The meeting closed with earnest prayers for deeper interest and participation in our widening outlook and work in the coming days of so great significance for the world.

Abbot Academy Notes

The vocal pupils of Miss Mabel Adams Bennett, assisted by the Glee Club and members of the violin and cello departments, will give their annual recital in Davis Hall, Saturday afternoon, May 17th, at quarter past three o'clock.

Reverend J. Edgar Park of West Newton conducted the Sunday evening service in Abbot Hall, May 11th. Mr. Park spoke most convincingly of the variety of the work done by Y. M. C. A. men in cantonnments in this country.

At morning chapel Thursday, May 15th, members of Abbot Academy enjoyed the unusual privilege of hearing first-hand news of Serbia from Miss Amelia Tieleman, who has been with the Serbian army in relief work for some time past. Miss Tieleman emphasized the many splendid qualities of Serbian character, particularly democracy, eagerness to learn better things, unflinching gratitude, and extreme cleanliness.

Of the importance of the Serbians' last offensive in the autumn of 1918, too much cannot be said for they contributed a large share in the final weakening of the central powers. Miss Tieleman also spoke of the never-to-be-forgotten atrocities of the Bulgarians in Serbia which rank with those of the Germans in France and Belgium.

The reading of Moliere's comedy, "L'École de Maris" by Madame Suzanne Bing, on May 10th, was more than enjoyable. Madame Bing's interpretation was excellent, fully bringing out the humor of the play.

Sunday School Teachers Met

The last meeting of the season was held by the Sunday School teachers of the South Church on Monday evening. In spite of a steady downpour of rain, twenty-six teachers and officers were present to enjoy a bountiful supper prepared and served by the following: Mrs. Gertrude Bergstrom, Mrs. Mary T. Bushnell, Mrs. F. G. Cheney, Mrs. Frank L. Cole, Misses Florence L. Abbott, Louise Hardy, Dorothy Bushnell, Marion Barnard, Ethel Cole and Mr. Francis H. Foster.

The supper consisted of meat balls, macaroni with tomato, vegetable salad, rolls, coffee and banana shortcake and was served at tables made attractive with bouquets of apple blossoms, roses and carnations.

At eight o'clock the business meeting was held with Mr. Bassett presiding, and Miss N. H. Farmer acting as secretary pro tem.

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ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK

The following pass books issued by the Andover Savings Bank have been lost and application has been made for the issuance of duplicate books. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590 of the Acts of 1908. Payment has been stopped.

Book No. 16674
Book No. 24177
Book No. 29061

FREDERIC S. ROUTWELL, Treasurer

April 25, 1919

ANDOVER CHURCHES



SERVICES FOR COMING WEEK

SOUTH CHURCH

Central Street
Congregational. Organized 1711
Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, Pastor
10.30 Morning service. Sermon by Rev. Fletcher D. Parker, Boston City Missionary.
12.00 Bible School.
6.30 Senior Endeavor.
8.00 Tuesday Christian Endeavor box party in the vestry.
7.45 Wednesday. Midweek service.
8.00 Friday. Choir rehearsal.

WEST CHURCH

Congregational. Organized 1711
Rev. Newman Matteson, Pastor
10.30 Public worship with sermon by the Rev. Ernest C. Davis of Methuen.
12.00 Sunday School.
7.00 C. E. meeting, led by Mrs. Matthews.
7.00 Service in the Osgood District.
7.45 Wednesday. Meeting for song and prayer.

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Essex Street.
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Rev. Fr. Nugent, Pastor
First Sunday of month. Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.
Second Sunday of month. Communion day for Knights of Good Counsel.
Third Sunday of month. Communion day for Holy Name Society.
Fourth Sunday of month. Communion day for children of Mary.
Holy name Society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.
Altar boys meet first Monday evening of each month.

FREE CHURCH

Elm Street
Congregational. Organized 1846
Rev. Frederick A. Wilson, Pastor
10.30 Worship with sermon by the pastor.
12.00 The Church School.
3.00 The Junior Endeavor Society.
6.30 The Senior Endeavor Society.
Tuesday Evening. Annual Ladies' Night of the Free Church Men's Club. 6.45, supper. 7.45, address by Judge Riley of Malden, recitations by Misses Wildes and Towle and singing by Mrs. Lizzie B. Miller of Lynn and J. Everett Collins.
7.45 Wednesday. Union prayer and conference meeting at South church.
7.00 and 8.00 Thursday. Rehearsals of the choirs.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL

"On the Hill"
10.30 Morning service. Preacher, Dr. Lewis Perry, principal of Phillips Exeter Academy.
5.15 Vespers. Speaker, Dr. Paul Reverend Frothingham, Arlington Street Church, Boston.
The annual meeting of the members of the church of Christ in Phillips Academy will be held at the close of the morning service.

CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street
Episcopal. Organized 1835
Rector, Rev. C. W. Henry
9.00 Holy communion.
10.30 Morning prayer and sermon. Preacher, Rev. Frederic Palmer, D.D.
12.00 Church School.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Essex Street
Organized 1832
Rev. E. H. Prescott, Pastor
10.30 Worship with Mothers' Day sermon postponed from last Sunday on account of the stormy weather. Five minute sermon to the Junior Church Band.
12.00 The Church School.
6.30 Senior Christian Endeavor.
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7.45 Wednesday. Social and fellowship service.
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later in June, July and August, when the Americans began to arrive in large numbers, we saw many "Yanks." My job here, was to provide the French troops that were stationed there, or passed through, with as many of the necessities as possible, to visit the artillery crews near us, and to pass out cigarettes and give them a chance for sports and recreations when off duty.

No organized sports could be run off because the time could not be arranged for in advance. Then, too, a crowd would have attracted the attention of German airmen who were overhead nearly every day, watching the roads; but we did have informal games of soccer and basketball, and I did some work with the school children also. The boys seldom came over on raids during the day, contenting himself with staying out of reach of the anti-aircraft guns about ten to twelve thousand feet up, observing and taking pictures. Then at night he would raid the towns on both sides of us. It was on the whole, a very quiet sector, until it became an American sector, because wherever there were Americans, trouble started.

The middle of September I was called to Paris, and was in Toul the night the attack on St. Mihiel commenced, and saw plainly, the barrage sent up by the Americans, which was said to be the heaviest up to that time, ever sent up.

The French Government has ten centres of physical instruction; eight in

those of the English, Australian and American troops all of whom had a better idea of team work and were vastly superior physically. The French troops were quick to recognize this, and asked the French department of the Y. M. C. A., known as the "Foyer du Soldat" if they would furnish an American for each of these centers, to teach the American games. The requirements for an instructor would be a knowledge of the games, and how to teach them, and also a knowledge of the French language.

We were sent for ten days to Joinville, the part near Paris on the river Marne, to demonstrate our games to Commandant La Brosse, the officer in command there, and the chief of the physical work in the army.

This demonstration resulted in our small army games—volley-ball, basketball and baseball being put in the programme of required work, and we were sent out to our centers to see that the programme was put over. I was sent to Antibes on the Mediterranean near Nice, one of the largest centers, because the climate is good and the weather like spring all year round. I had about fifteen monitors, or teachers, who acted as the regular staff, and who were familiar with the French system, but had to be taught our games. They took to our games very readily and enjoyed them, all but baseball, which is absolutely beyond them at present.

Often the men we got were too old to be good teachers of anything, and were not interested or interesting; but, as all of France from eighteen to forty-five years old was mobilized, it was a case of necessity.

It is surely true that only a beginning has been made, for France is not an athletic nation, and old customs and habits do not change over night in a country like France. But they are playing some of our games over there now, and they will play more. A good start has been made but this will have to be continued until a love of the outdoors is inculcated in the youngsters, and until inspiring and able teachers are on the job in all the schools. Then France may make England and the U. S. hustle in the athletic world!

FRANK L. QUINBY

The photograph shows a basketball game between the French "Monitors" from Mr. Quinby's school in Antibes, and an American Medical unit's picket team. Our men are in khaki, while the French are in white.

The game was played on the 26th of last January at Cannes in the south of France, where winter is like summer. This is the municipal casino which was taken over by the Y. M. C. A. and which made an ideal place in which to have concerts, their large canteen, outdoor sports; in fact, all kinds of entertainments was furnished at this leave center. In the background is the beautiful Mediterranean Sea.

son; second vice-president, Paul J. Abbott; third vice-president, Edmond E. Hammond; secretary, Miss Ethel A. Hitchcock; treasurer, Arthur R. Lewis; executive committee, officers elect and Miss Ella Holt, Miss Beatrice Poland and Harry Sellars.

It was voted to give the senior class the customary June reception and the arrangements were left in the hands of the executive committee.

The PUNCHARD boys who were in the service and were present were as follows: Major Boy A. Daniels, Kirke G. Temple, Thomas J. Kyle, William G. Hatch, George G. Brown, Walter S. Lawson, William S. Batchelor, Robert A. Stack, Percy J. Dole, Paul A. Ward, William H. Hough, Wells D. Wright, Fred W. McCollum, Edward S. Dodge, Harold E. Larkin, Arthur W. Cole, Byron S. Morrill, Rev. Harry S. Low, John J. Sullivan, Arthur R. Lewis, Harold F. Wells, Herbert W. Holt, George A. Abbott, C. D. Lindsay, Albert E. Curtis, Howard W. Dunne, John P. S. Doherty, Blanchard E. Ralph, John L. Dugan, Bernard L. McDonald, Paul J. Abbott, Clifford W. Dunnells, Eldred Larkin, Arthur L. Gray, Arthur K. Johnson, Roy E. Hardy, J. Everett Collins, Frederick E. Cheever, William J. Riley and Walter T. Grout.

The floor was then cleared for dancing which was enjoyed to the lively music of Bardsley's orchestra and which continued until one o'clock.

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PUNCHARD'S PARTY

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potatoes, green peas, lobster patties, sultana roll, wine sauce, fancy cakes, rolls and coffee.

Artistic souvenir programs were at the tables for everybody and these contained, as special features, a picture of Old Punchard hall and a list of those who lost their lives in the service. They were:

Second lieutenant Thomas E. Carter, class of 1913, Company G, 308th Infantry. Killed in action, November 4, 1918; Michael Joseph Daly, class of 1913, 119th Heavy Artillery. Died of wounds September 2, 1918; John J. Gagan, class of 1903. Medical Department, first Gas Regiment. Killed in action, November 1, 1918; Thomas W. Platt, Jr., class of 1913. U. S. Naval Reserves. Died of pneumonia, October 14, 1918; George W. Simpson, class of 1909. Died in training camp, November 9, 1918; T. Palmer Wilcox, class of 1911. Employed in government work. Died at Plant City, Florida, February 3, 1919.

After dinner a most entertaining program was given by the Loftus quartet assisted by Miss Dorothy Berry Carpenter, as reader. The quartet which consists of Robert Martin, first tenor; William Hicks, second tenor; Nelson Raymond, baritone; Lionel MacAdam, bass, was greatly enjoyed and they varied their program by asking the audience to join in the singing of several of the well-known songs. Miss Carpenter was known to several there, as she used to visit her grand parents in the old Berry house on Salem street, now owned by the Warren Johnsons. Her interpretation of the small boy was delicious and she amused the audience especially in the scenes from Penrod. The program was concluded by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and this seemed to be a splendid way to express the thoughts and feelings of everyone present.

The program:

The Star-Spangled Banner
Quartet and Audience
"For Your Boy and My Boy"
Quartet
Reading, "Making a Man" Frances Heron
Dorothy Berry Carpenter
Baritone Solo, "The Americans Come" Foster
Nelson Raymond
Blue Danube Waltz Quartet Strauss
Bass Solo, "The Old Base Viol" Louise MacAdam
Reading, "A Model Letter" Turkington
Dorothy Berry Carpenter
Tenor Solo, "Christ in Flanders" William Hicks
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Why Higher Rents

A communication appeared in a Boston paper during the past week from one of the prominent real estate operators in Boston, reviewing reasons why some of the loose talk about rent profiteering was not justified. The latter cited as an illustration a woman who is the owner of a piece of property where her net income, on account of the high cost of everything, notwithstanding the increased rent, has been lessened nearly one-half, comparing the situation today with that which obtained ten years ago. It is pretty easy for the cheap legislator, be he a member of the national, state, or city government, to attempt to make political capital out of charges loosely made against any and every interest that represents money. The landlord comes under this classification, but from some acquaintance with the difficulties which the landlord has gone through within the last two years, the writer has a notion that the time has come for the other side of this story to be told and told without any equivocation whatsoever.

There are houses renting in Andover at the present moment at the same rental secured for those houses ten years ago. The tax rate at that time was half what it is today, and the cost of making repairs then was less than one-half the present price. Every item entering into the maintenance of that piece of property wherever it may be located, has doubled or more than doubled in the last decade. This situation applies directly to every piece of property in the town of Andover that is being rented, and the time has come to query whether under these circumstances some advance in rentals is not justified. Let us turn the query around and ask any of the readers of the Townsman if they know of a single case in Andover where rental charge for property is double what it was ten years ago?

But there is another side to this situation not involved in the problem that faces the man who hires a tenement, but involved in the problem of maintenance and upkeep of the property of the man who has built his own home and is now endeavoring to keep the property as his home. It is doubtful if there is an insurance company in the state that is not attempting to have property, insured at values fixed five or ten years ago, advanced to a place where it will more nearly represent the cost of replacement at the present time. Undoubtedly this agitation is more or less associated with the desire of the insurance company for bigger business, but the theory upon which they are acting is eminently sound. No big business handles its real estate from any other view point than replacement cost. How many holders of houses that cost \$2,500 and built upon lots that cost originally \$300 can replace such property at the present time for anything like three thousand dollars? Isn't it a fact that the three thousand dollar poor man's cottage of ten years ago will cost nearly five thousand dollars this year?

Entirely ignoring the question of supply and demand, which also has a right to be considered in connection with this situation where there are more people wanting houses than there are houses wanting people, the time has come for the fellow who has invested his money in real estate to stand up in his boots and say that when milk goes back to six cents a quart, "six" is its "quot" milk rents may properly be in vogue; when ten dollar shoes give way to Douglas \$3.50 values, ten dollar rents will give way to \$3.50 rents and so on.

Unless we are very careful here in New England we will find that the most effective answers to these charges of rent profiteering will be the failure to have any new investment in real estate. Of course the socialistic crank will at once come on with his plea for state owned property, homestead development, and all the other socialistic nonsense, but this is fast running such states as Massachusetts into one great paternalistic control with taxes becoming such a burden that the goose that lays the golden egg is even now finding the golden color of those same eggs showing very bluish hues.

Such As These Make Towns

Hardly a week passes but that the news columns chronicle the death of one or more of the familiar figures in Andover life. This week two men who have quietly, patiently, but successfully lived their full parts in the life of the town pass away. Their names have never figured in the events that the newspapers chronicle; no political offices attach to their names; no particular leadership has been represented in their lives; and yet James Daley and Peter Donovan were types of that sort of solid citizenship upon which such communities as Andover have depended more than many of us realize for the satisfactory progress the town has marked. Mr. Daley has held a place in one of the town's big industries where the quiet filling of an important position made of him a man not only highly respected by employers but one beloved and esteemed by employees associated with him and

working under him. One of the happy kind of men at work and at home, he filled his place in the community in a way to make his death severely felt by all who have had contact with him.

Peter Donovan lived more quietly as the companion for fifty odd years of his sisters, counselor in the home after the death of his father, the faithful servant for many years in one of the town's most prominent families, the cheery citizen wherever he was met.

It isn't good to see the old faces dropping away one by one, but it is good to have their lives impressed upon those who are coming after as examples of that kind of living that really makes the ideal community.

Editorial Cinders

If a milkman breaks a milk-bottle on the highway and allows the pieces to stay there as a menace to every auto passing by, he ought to be arrested and compelled to pay a big fine. Already the "if" is a reality, the fine should not wait much longer.

The complaint about the taste of the town water has not escaped the Board of Public Works superintendent, and his response took the shape last Saturday of a two days and a night job of thoroughly cleaning out both reservoirs. It was a long, hard task, but amply repaid the effort in revealing the almost spotless condition of both reservoirs. This result indicates that the trouble is entirely a natural one, and likewise entirely harmless, and capable of correction only by sunshine and time.

\$350 from May Breakfast

The regular meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps was held Tuesday evening with a good attendance. Mrs. Joseph Nuckley, who was a delegate to the department convention recently held in Boston gave a most interesting report of the meeting.

Mrs. Elander, chairman of the executive committee gave a report of the May Breakfast showing the net proceeds to be \$350.95.

It was voted to accept the invitation extended by the Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans to dinner on Memorial Day at G. A. R. hall.

In memory of Mrs. Dorcas Lyman of Brighton, a much loved past department president, the charter was draped.

Mrs. Hatch, Mrs. Burston and Mrs. Elander were appointed as the committee for the good of the order for the next meeting.

Entering Class Brag

Sixty-two of us began September 3, 1856. On May 13, 1919, sixty-three years later, I can recall seventeen who are all over seventy-five save myself and I arrive this summer.

Seven were graduates in 1859, all three of the girls alive, only one present on account of illness.

One teacher is still alive, at least she was in the summer of 1918, Miss Hazen of the first year. Miss Ellen Peabody passed away in 1918.

Of the old stock represented by the entering class, six families are represented, and all hold original grants by legacy. They are Barnard, Abbott, Holt, Chandler, Farnum, Gray. One Holt still lives here on ancestral acres. Sarah Lamson Scudder was in town, but illness kept her from being present. On the roll of honor (Charles Martland and Peter D. Smith are dead) are: Augustus Howley, who lives in Oregon; William Merrill who lives in the West; George Farnum died in service in 1862; Elbridge Manning served until the war ended, and entered the U. S. army and died in service in New Orleans in 1869; Edmund Strong served through the war and took a commission of ensign in navy as his war rank, retired as rear admiral and died in 1909.

Those living in Andover are: C. H. Abbott, Laura Bailey, Abbie (Chandler) Smith a P. F. S. match among the many. Frances (Donald) Smith, Hannah (Harding) Flint, Brooks Holt resides on his ancestral acres held since 1615.

Addie (Mayberry) Valpey.

Those living out of Andover are: Gertrude Charlotte Bailey, long a Chicago teacher, retired on a pension. Annie and Chloe Abbott entered missions. Chloe widow of an officer of the British Army of the Isle of Wight and Switzerland, live together.

Catherine Clough was in city missions in the West.

Mr. J. Merrill West think he was evil engineer.

Oliver (Minor) Goldsmith resident old Salem village in Danvers, with son.

George S. Richardson may be alive in the west (Abbie and Mina died here.)

Margaret (Ross) McCrae of Saratoga.

R. Augustus Rowley of Oregon, Sunday school mission.

Helen (Abbott) Ingersoll I feel sure was alive.

If I am right there are seventeen of the sixty-two — over one-fourth.

C. H. A.

BARNSTORMERS' PARTY

June 3rd is Date for Dance and Playlet in Town Hall

The Barnstormers are at last coming out of their cocoon of war activities and will celebrate the coming of Peace and Victory. Their former president, Addison LeBoutillier is expected home soon, so partly in his honor, partly in honor of their other returned members and partly because they wish to get together and renew old acquaintances and have a good time, they will give a party on the third of June in the Town Hall.

Mrs. Eben Baldwin is chairman of the committee in charge of this affair, and she is assisted by Douglas Crawford, president of the club, Mrs. J. H. Kidder, Mrs. Frank Purdon, Miss Elizabeth Cole and Harry Tye. It has been planned to have a dance and, in order to give a flavor of the Barnstormers' "raison d'être," a little playlet will be given during the intermission.

Tickets will go on sale on Tuesday at the Gift Shop, and should be purchased at once by the active and associate members of the club, each of whom is entitled to two tickets. After May 28th, if there are tickets left over these members will be glad to purchase them for non-believing friends.

Tables are to be placed along the sides of the hall where parties of four may sit; refreshments may be purchased and a fine orchestra will play for the dancing. Admission is fifty cents and each table may be engaged for an additional one dollar. The party is not given as a money making scheme, but should there be any left-over proceeds, they will be given to the Andover Public Health Association.

Guild Directors and Officers

At the Guild house Tuesday evening, the annual meeting of the Andover Guild corporation was held. The nominating committee, consisting of Burton S. Plagg, chairman, Dr. W. D. Walker and Edwin T. Brewster, announced the following nominations: directors, Mrs. H. H. Tye, Mrs. Eben Baldwin, Mrs. Wm. A. Trow, Mrs. B. M. Allen, George Abbott, Fred S. Batcheller, Frederick G. Boutwell, Nathaniel C. Hamblin, Frederic G. Moore, Philip F. Ripley, Alfred L. Ripley, W. D. Yates and Rev. Frederick A. Wilson; clerk, Mrs. Wm. A. Trow; treasurer, Frederick S. Boutwell.

Miss Fannie Davis, secretary of the guild, read her report of the work accomplished during the past year.

In Memoriam

Sunday morning, May 11th, at Newark, New Jersey, died Jessie P. Emerson, widow of the late George H. Taylor, who was the son of Dr. Samuel H. Taylor so long principal of Phillips Academy.

The death of Mrs. Taylor closes another chapter of Andover history. For with her passes away the last of the family so well known in Andover for two generations. "Uncle Sam" and his children games, George and Arthur have long been but a memory. But Mrs. Taylor has kept her hold on Andover through her dear; for it has been the chosen resting place of her husband, her oldest son and her only daughter, and when she knew that she would soon join them, she begged to be beside them in our "Village on the Hill."

And there we laid her on a beautiful spring morning when the birds sang joyfully and nature told of growth and hope and perfection to come. We felt that after "Life's fitful fever" she slept well. For life had brought her great sorrows and dealt her stunning blows. In the sudden death of husband and children; the cares and anxieties of widowhood and limited means. But she was always brave, resourceful, and independent and met each problem with fortitude.

Her last years were brightened by living in the home of her youngest son, where little children loved and amused her, and his wife gave her a daughter's loving care. Though war work had called her son away from her side and he could not be with her at the last, his wife took his place and left nothing undone that could contribute to her comfort. So we left her where

"Over the river on the hill
Lies a village white and still,
All around it the forest trees
Shiver and whisper in the breeze;
Over it sailing shadows go
Of soaring hawk and screaming crow
And mountain grasses low and sweet
Grow in the middle of every street."
A. P.

Parties at Punched

Last Friday evening, in Punched Hall, the Freshmen class of Punched, enjoyed a pleasant dancing party. The sophomore class were the invited guests. The party was well attended by both classes. Mrs. Morrill of the faculty was the matron of the evening. Buckley's orchestra furnished music for the dancing. Refreshments were served. The committee in charge consisted of Arthur Fallon, James Cole and Howard Watson.

Next Friday evening in the Punched Hall, the junior class will hold a dancing party. The party will be athletic. The hall will be decorated with bats, balls, hockeys and other athletic equipment. The committee in charge consists of Margaret Cronin, Ruth Cates, Helena Wells, William Dalton and Kenneth Coleman.

Way Over the Top

Andover's quota was far exceeded in the Victorious Fifth and the total amount of subscriptions will be nearly ten hundred thousand dollars. The exact figures have not yet been obtained, nor the total number of subscribers. Hence, the final story of Andover's record cannot be published until later.

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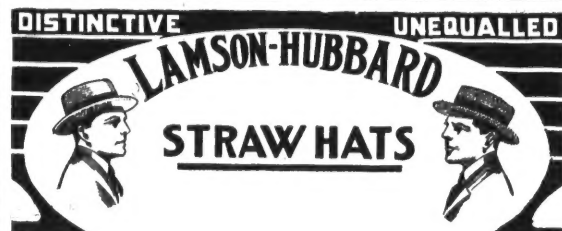
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Just why the Association has found it necessary to call for fresh reading matter in addition to the two and one-quarter million books which have already been shipped overseas is disclosed by the fact that books in military service undergo extraordinarily hard usage. It is estimated that a book in war service wears out seven times as fast as a book issued by a public library. A popular book of fiction in camp or in the field is practically fit for the discard when it has been issued to four men, whereas the same book in a public library would not show the same degree of wear until it had been issued thirty times.

A good book is passed from hand to hand. An exciting western novel is read by a score of men in an incredibly short time, and is ready to fall to pieces when the man who borrowed it returns it to the library.

One A. L. A. librarian reports, several days after a new shipment of fiction had been received:

"The forty-eight volumes of Zane Grey had all circulated from the main library within forty-eight hours of their location on the shelves—some are returning now for the second or third time to circulate again before they reach the shelves. I am positive that some have been read twenty times they look like veterans already."

It is the books by authors popular with men the volumes that circulate rapidly, of which the American Library Association is most in need to aid the forces overseas to while away the weary hours of waiting. A list of authors especially in demand includes such writers as Rex Beach, B. M. Bower, Edgar Rice Burroughs, Zane Grey, Henry Herbert Knipps, O. Henry, Peter B. Kyne, E. Phillips Oppenheim, Mary Roberts Reinhardt, Bertrand W. Sinclair, Booth Tarkington, Steward Edward White, Harry Leon Wilson and Hobart Bell Wright.

The American Library Association has practically unlimited tonnage for the shipment of books and magazines. Books brought into the public library will be shipped within forty-eight hours to one of the overseas dispatch offices of the A. L. A. on the Atlantic seaboard, and in the course of several weeks will be in the hands of the men who need them.

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The orchestra played two selections, which were greatly enjoyed, while Mr. Kelly, accompanied by Mr. Camp, played a violin solo which received an encore.

The rest of the program was devoted to the four quartettes each of which sang exceedingly well and showed splendid effort and training. The voices were good, as were the songs chosen, and the judges felt that there should be an honorable mention, as well as the prize. The prize went to the second group who sang "Sweet and Low" and "Winter Song," honorable mention was given the third group. The judges were B. Frank Michelson and Mrs. Frank H. Paige and their decision was based two-fifths upon the composition selected, two-fifths upon the care in preparation and one fifth upon voice.

Mr. Platteicher may well be proud of the evening's work.

The program follows:

Symphony in G major Haydn
Allegro
Allegretto
Minuetto-Trio
Finale—Presto
Quartet—Drink to Me only with Thine Eyes
Carry Me Back to Old Virginia Bland
R. M. Chapman S. L. Wilson
W. L. Romney H. B. Whipple
Quartet—Sweet and Low Barbary
Winter Song Bullard
F. A. Henders E. F. Hatch
L. S. Hammond E. W. Peters
Violin Solo—Romanza Strindberg
H. P. Kelley
Quartet—Robin Adair Lister
M. Dolbe J. C. Damm
J. John J. C. Damm
Quartet—The Long Day Closes A. Sullivan
C. B. Straut W. H. Leonard
A. M. Sherrill P. M. Schulte
Allegretto—Symphony No. 2 Mendelssohn
to the "Hymn of Praise"

Spring Grove Cemetery Notice

Whereas it has been the policy in the past few years to have all lots in presentable condition on Memorial Day at a recent meeting it was voted to discontinue that policy. All lot owners of Spring Grove Cemetery who wish to have their lots cared for, will please notify the superintendent, Fred Swanton, of leave notice at the selectmen's office.

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Returned for Reunion

Miss Grace M. Coyne, who used to live in Andover and was in the class of 1906 at Puncard High School, was back for the "Welcome Home" reunion on Tuesday. She is now superintendent of schools at Tiverton, Rhode Island, and also president of the Association of Rhode Island Women and Teachers, and director of primary education for Newport county.

With her, staying at the Phillips Inn for several days, was Mrs. Richard J. Barker, also of Tiverton. Mrs. Barker is also an experienced worker in schools, having served on the school board for twenty-one years. She is a member of the Board of the Women's College of Brown University and on the Board of Visitors at Rhode Island State College, and also a former vice-president general of the National Society of the D. A. B.

Card of Thanks

The family of James E. Daley wish to express their appreciation for all the many kindnesses of their friends during their recent bereavement.

OBITUARIES

PETER J. DONOVAN

Peter J. Donovan, a well-known resident of Andover, died Sunday night at the family home, 22 Brook street, Andover, after a long illness. He is survived by four sisters, Julia A., Catherine E., Annie G., and Mrs. Margaret Kimball. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Augustine's church. The funeral was held Wednesday at 9:30 at St. Augustine's church.

A solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. John A. Nugent, assisted by Rev. P. J. McCormack as deacon and Rev. P. J. Mayock as sub-deacon. Rev. F. S. Riordan and Rev. M. J. Mahoney rendered "De Profundis" at the offertory. The committal services at the grave were conducted by Rev. P. J. Lynch, Rev. P. J. Mayock, internment was in the family lot in St. Augustine's cemetery, Andover.

The bearers were William C. Crowley, Charles E. Donovan, John Donovan, John Connelly, Dennis Sweeney and Thomas Duff.

JOSEPH R. LEWIS

After a long illness, Joseph R. Lewis died Monday afternoon at his home on Washington avenue. Mr. Lewis was born sixty-seven years ago and has been a well-known carpenter for many years in Andover.

He is survived by his wife, Abbie, by two sons, Ernest W. of Andover and John M. of Beverly; by a granddaughter, Pauline, and by a brother James A. of Alameda, Cal. He was a member of Lincoln Lodge, A. O. U. W.

The funeral was held yesterday at two o'clock, with Rev. William S. Nichols of North Andover conducting the services. Burial was in Ridgewood cemetery.

JAMES E. DALEY

At his home on 14 Bartlett street, James E. Daley died Monday evening at the age of sixty-one years. For forty-nine years he had been employed as a foreman at the Tye Rubber Company, where he had been a faithful worker and had many friends. He had been there longer than any other employee and next month would have completed his fiftieth year with the concern. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Holy Name Society and A. O. U. W.

Mr. Daley had been ill for less than a week and his death came as a great shock to his family and friends. His son, Joseph, had been home from France only a short time and it was a comfort to his father in his illness, to know that he was at home safe and well.

Mr. Daley is survived by his wife, Louise; by two daughters, Louise and Marie; by two sons, Joseph and Leo; by two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Blake and Mary Daley and by three brothers, Edward, Michael and John.

The funeral was held yesterday morning with solemn high mass at St. Augustine's church. Charles Bowman, John McDonald, Wm. Burns, Charles Donovan, Augustus Remmes and Patrick Daley were the bearers. Many beautiful flowers as well as spiritual bouquets testified the esteem and affection of his many friends.

Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

ALFRED P. QUIMBY

Alfred P. Quimby of Elm street, died in Wakefield Saturday, while visiting there. His body was brought home Monday morning and the funeral was held at ten o'clock at St. Augustine's church. Mass was celebrated by Rev. P. J. McCormack, assisted by Rev. P. Mayock and Rev. J. A. Nugent.

He was a member of the local fire department for a number of years and a delegation to represent the department was present.

Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

Out-of-Town Guests

To prove their interest in and loyalty to old Puncard, several out-of-town members of the alumni were present Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. Edgar Park came from West Newton for the Welcome Home and Reunion; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eames from the Lowell Textile School, were other out-of-town guests. Judge Poor and Charles H. Shearer, who had just returned from the South, and Miss Ethel Hazlewood, were here from Boston. Mrs. Ada (Cole) Brown came from Providence, and Mrs. Martha (Manning) Disbrow, whose summer home is in Boxford was also present. Miss Carolyn Burt of Malden, Mrs. Maud (Bennett) Gray of Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. Howell Wilson of Boston were others here.

Mrs. Josephine (Abbott) Varnum came from Lowell and made the sixth member of one family who was there: Mr. and Mrs. James J. Abbott and their four children, Mrs. Varnum, Miss Elizabeth Abbott, Chester and Paul.

It was with regret that the three members of the class of 1859 learned that one of their classmates, Mrs. Sarah Lamson Scudder, was at the Inn but unable to be present.

Puncard at Lowell Tomorrow

Tomorrow afternoon the local high school baseball team will meet the Lowell high team at Spaulding Park. Lowell has a fast team this year, having defeated Woburn, Lawrence and Charlestown high schools. Lowell was defeated by Haverhill high by the score of 4 to 1. Puncard also lost to Haverhill by the score of 6 to 3. This means a close and interesting game. The probable batting order is as follows for Puncard: Hamblin, c; Dalton, 2b; Payne, 1b; Holland, p; Lindsay, r.f.; Dimlich, s.s.; Clinton, l.f.; E. Chandler, c.f.; Dyer, 3b.

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25c Cretonne Print Remnants, all desirable patterns, yard wide, yard	17c
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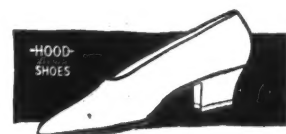
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6.30. V.P.S.E.
7.30 Thursday. Prayer meeting.

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Rev. J. P. Cordero, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
Topic: "The Call of God."
Sunday School to follow.
6.15. Epworth League.
6.45. Praise service with address by the pastor.
Subject: "The Call of the Christ."
7.30 Thursday. Prayer meeting.

Miss Christine Marland led the Christian Endeavor meeting on Sunday evening.

Admission P. W. Sonson of Gloucester spent Monday at his summer home in the village.

Edward Davis has recently returned home having received an honorable discharge from the service.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Congregational Ladies' Aid Society Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. William S. Clemens, Andover street.

Fred Buckley returned home last Friday afternoon and received congratulations from his many Ballardvale friends. Fred has seen considerable service while in the army overseas.

The regular meeting of Ballardvale Lodge, No. 105, I. O. G. T. was held Monday evening. The following standing committees were appointed for the ensuing quarter: finance, Thomas Brear; Miss Minnie Shattuck, Mrs. Ada Townsend; visiting, Mrs. Lizzie S. Barnes, Miss Merle Wilkinson, Mrs. Benjamin Summers; good of the order, Daniel H. Poor, Luville J. Moore, Mrs. Lizzie S. Barnes, Mrs. R. A. Wilkinson, Mrs. Mina Kibbee; care of the sick, Thomas Brear, Rev. A. H. Fuller, Benjamin Summers, Luville J. Moore, Mrs. Ada Townsend, Miss Clara Moody, Mrs. Mina Kibbee.

Twenty-Seventh Week of Egg Laying Contest

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WHITE LEGHORNS		
J. F. Crowley, Lynn	701	36
J. Frank Dubois, Lynn	859	55
J. F. Crowley, Lynn	770	55
Upland Farm, Ipswich	187	43
WHITE WYANDOTTES		
T. H. West, Haverhill	729	18
T. H. West, Haverhill	751	14
J. F. Crowley, Lynn	867	19
R. M. Anderson, Freeport	672	26
COLUMBIAN WYANDOTTES		
B. F. Waggett, Beverly	531	11
BARRIED ROCKS		
R. L. Smith, Keeneburgport	706	31
Elmor Lord, Danvers	188	19
J. Lord, Danvers	812	51
W. W. Lord, Danvers	8955	56
WHITE ROCKS		
Overlook Farm, Haverhill	612	37
Overlook Farm, Haverhill	527	15
J. R. Lord, Topsfield	588	41
RHODE ISLAND REDS		
A. H. Jackson, No. Andover	692	11
Wallace Moreland, Salem	807	67
J. Lord, Danvers	731	17
Philip Lord, Danvers	611	16
A. A. Pembroke, Beverly 2	631	38
A. A. Pembroke, Beverly	670	38
W. Lord, Danvers	588	39
W. H. Barker, Gloucester 2	551	19
Upham Farm, Byfield	672	11
Total	17013	1113

Saturday

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WEST PARIS H

Miss Fannie Lewis of M. H. H., spent the week-end at her home on Lowell street.

Augustus Horman spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George Spickler of Osgood District.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the West Church, met with Mrs. Frank Hardy on Wednesday. Plans were talked over for the summer's work and, as each plan is ready for action, due notice of it will be given.

Sergeant Joseph Dagdigan and his brother Leon were calling on old friends in West Parish during the past week. Sergeant Dagdigan has been across two years serving as a member of the constructing engineers force, and his brother has served eighteen months on the supply force. Both have been mustered out and are now at their home in Pleasant Valley.

George Carter of High Plain Road entertained some visitors unawares on Tuesday night. These visitors took away with them as souvenirs of their visit, eighty or ninety of Mr. Carter's choicest Rhode Island Red hens. These visitors showed their knowledge of good things in the poultry line, for only the finest were taken. The only clue to the thieves was the fact that two men were seen lying in the bushes beside the road near the hen houses, and a little later a heavy truck was heard to go by and then return a short time after.

Surprise Party

Miss Louise Greenwood of Osgood District, planned and successfully carried out a very pretty surprise for Miss Lois Spickler in honor of her approaching marriage, when on Saturday evening, a party of Miss Spickler's friends gathered at Miss Greenwood's and gave her a linen shower.

The parlor was decorated in pink and white, while in the center hung a large bell with gifts suspended by white and pink ribbons.

The gifts were many and very beautiful and their daintiness showed the esteem of friends gathered there.

The cutting of the fortune cake made a great deal of fun. Miss Louise Greenwood getting the ring and Miss Marion Greenwood the thimble. Those present were the following: Mrs. George Spickler, Mrs. Flint, Mrs. Greenwood, Mrs. Chas. Greenwood, and Mrs. Augustus Horman, Misses Lois Spickler, Myrtle Livingston, Bertha Livingston, Delia Belisle, Hallie Stimpson, Irene Kress, Harriet Golgothoun, Elba and Pauline Peterson and Lizzie Doyle.

A most happy evening was spent with music and games, and at the close refreshments were served and the company left wishing for Miss Spickler a happy, prosperous life with only enough clouds to make the sunshine bright.

Marriage

A very quiet wedding took place at the West Parish church on Wednesday afternoon, May 14th, at half-past three, when Kenneth Hilton and Georgina Lovejoy, both of West Parish, were united in marriage by Rev. Newman Matthews.

Mr. Hilton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Hilton of Winchester. He has just returned from a year's active service in France with the 77th division. He is a member of the West Parish Church and of Andover Grange P. of H. 183.

The bride is a Punchard graduate, class of 1911 and attended Smith College one year. She has just completed nearly four years service as clerk to Superintendent of the Schools of Andover. She has always lived in Andover, and is a member of West Parish Church. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for a week's pleasure trip and on their return they will open and occupy the Hilton homestead on Lowell street.

Grange News

The regular meeting of the grange was held on Tuesday evening at the Grange Hall. The lecturer's hour was in charge of Charles Morgan with

ABBOTT VILLAGE

Miss Jessie Haddon is ill at her home on Essex street.

Mrs. Camille Biotteau is ill at her home on Brechin Terrace.

Mrs. Joseph Keith and son Hector spent Wednesday at Camp Devens.

Mrs. David Milnes of Cuba street visited friends in Quincy at the week-end.

Mrs. Thomas Lowe of Cuba street, visited Mr. Joe Black of Quincy this week.

A daughter was born last Tuesday to Mrs. Walter Welding at the Anderson Sanatorium.

John Keith of the British Army has returned from overseas to his home on Stevens street.

Miss Marion Fraiser of the Salem hospital, spent a day at her parent's home on Shawheen road.

Charles E. Hughes of Brechin Terrace, visited his sister, Mrs. George Way, at Lynn last Saturday.

Miss Winifred Brough of Dorchester visited at the home of Hamilton Craig on Brechin Terrace at the week-end.

Alex Forsyth, recently discharged from the American Overseas Forces, is residing with his brother Samuel on Red Spring Road.

There was a tentative meeting of the Andover Cricket Club in the Village Hall, Tuesday. It was decided to start playing whenever the pitch is available.

Soccer Meeting

A very enthusiastic meeting was held in the Village Hall last Friday evening when the Andover United Football Club was reorganized for the coming season. Now that the war is over and the players returning, things look good for the soccer game this fall.

Reports of the officials who have held office since the game was suspended, show that the club is in good condition financially and in possession of property for starting the game.

There were about thirty men present from whom the following officers were elected after a lively contest.

President, William Hyde; vice-president, James Benvie; secretary, Edwin J. Anderson; financial secretary, James Caldwell; treasurer, James Smythe. The executive committee is James Holt, John Elder and Thomas Neil. The delegate to the state association, is the vice-president, J. Benvie.

the subject, "An Evening with the Poets."

Mrs. Herbert Merriek gave a short sketch of the life of Lowell and of the incidents that gave him the material for the poem, "Sir Launfal," reading some of the most beautiful parts to make the tale more interesting.

Charles Morgan then told of Longfellow's life, beginning with the saying, "Poets are born not made," then following with the pretty, though sad story of the poem Evangeline. Miss Madeleine Hewes told the story of Sir Walter Scott's life and read selections from, "The Lady of the Lake," one of his earlier works.

This was followed by the reading of Hawthorne by Miss Gertrude Morgan, with a musical accompaniment played by Mrs. Herbert Merriek. This was very entertaining, the music making very vivid the word picture Miss Morgan was giving and was much enjoyed by all.

The next meeting, May 27th, will be a reception to the returned soldiers and sailors of West Parish. Open meeting will be held and refreshments are to be served by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cannon.

Appeal to Help

One dollar entitles you to membership in the American Women's Hospitals Auxiliary. If for a dollar you could send a doctor to a dying man, woman or child, you would give that dollar, would you not? Send as many dollars as you can. Two hundred fifty thousand are needed.

Every dollar you give will help to save the life of a man, woman or child dying for want of medical aid. Who does not know the agony of having a loved one dangerously ill, even when the best medical care is provided? Think of those who are unable to secure the help of a physician while they watch their dear ones struggle with death.

Can we say we are tired of giving — we who have so much? Please make your check payable to the American Women's Hospitals and mail to Old Colony Trust Company, Bay State Branch, Boston, Mass., Massachusetts Headquarters: Emily Clark MacLeod, M. D., 21 Newbury street, Boston, Mass.

MONDAY

CECIL B. DeMILLE'S

The "Squaw Man"

A Modern Version of the Play

All Star Cast Special Music

GARDEN REPORT

Mrs. Derrah Tells of Fine Work Accomplished by School Children Last Year

As we were about to make our plans for the season's garden work, a call came to the children asking for volunteers for the United States School Garden Army. Those of you who know how our girls and boys have responded to every call, can imagine how eager they were to be of service.

It was thought best not to include the pupils of the first three grades, as the work is much too difficult for them. About two hundred and fifty pupils enlisted, and of that number, about one hundred and seventy-five carried the work on through the entire season.

The number of volunteers would have been much larger, but many of our pupils do not remain in town for the summer. Some of the boys in the upper grades secured work on the farms, so of course, had no time for home gardens.

About eighty dollars worth of seeds were purchased by the pupils from the School Garden Association of Boston. This amount was not as large as usual, for many of the parents had already purchased for their children.

I visited all the schools except those in the districts and gave simple lessons in the preparation and care of a garden. With the help of Miss Lovejoy, I was able to send out type-written sheets of garden suggestions which the pupils copied into notebooks provided for them.

The requirements for enlistment in the U. S. S. G. A. were: the signing of an obligation card in which the pupil agreed to raise one or more food crops; and to keep records of his work and the results.

The officers of each company were a captain and two lieutenants. A bronze service bar with U. S. S. G. A. on it, was given to each child.

Meetings were held in Punchard Hall to talk over our plans. At one of these meetings we were talking about the best location for a garden. "I said to one little fellow, 'Tommy, where are you going to have your garden?' He said, 'I ain't got none, I thought you were giving them away today, so I came to get one.' This suggested that there might be others like Tommy, who wanted a garden, but had no place for one.

Through the kindness of Mr. Bodwell, a plot of land in Locke's field was set apart for the children. With the help of the boys, I measured off twenty-four individual plots, 16 by 24 ft. Every afternoon, at the close of school, we went to the field and it was certainly gratifying to see how they worked, for it was no easy task to clear the land of stones and with grass.

I visited each garden at least once and some two or three times. "As usual, a few of the children planted a great many varieties of seeds, but the majority confined themselves to only one or two kinds. Potatoes and beans were the favorites. Some of the older girls canned their products. Prizes were given to those having the best gardens. Miss Putnam and Miss Florence Abbott acted as judges.

I had hoped to give you an estimate of the amount of food produced by the children, but the closing of the schools has prevented the return of the record books. However, those of you who were able to attend our exhibit in the School Garden a few months ago, had a chance to see some of the results.

Aside from the material results I feel that the summer has been a profitable one. The children have been given something interesting and healthful to do through the long summer days. They have developed a respect for the rights of others which comes only through actual ownership.

I wish to thank all those who helped to make the work a success, especially Mrs. Bodwell and Miss Johnson, who kindly gave the use of their automobiles, and Mrs. Selden, Mrs. Trow and Mr. Boutwell who acted as judges for the exhibit.

The report of the Treasurer of the Children's War Gardens for the summer of 1918 shows that \$189.00 was received from contributors.

Contributions for this year's work will please be sent to Miss Katherine E. Selden, 12 School street.

CECELIA A. DERRAH

Poultry Keeping for the Blind

Blind Edward Jones, of Jefferson City, Mo., has made a record in keeping poultry which many who have eyes have not equaled. Moving among his birds, which seem to understand how he is handicapped, and guided only by his sense of touch, he performs his daily work. He has built his own poultry house and brood coops, and has hatched and raised all his chicks. Blindness does not prevent him from culling his flock. The birds not intended to be kept are marketed as broilers, and the others are kept for the production of winter eggs.

Mr. Jones attended every poultry meeting held in his section last fall. He is now trying to organize a poultry club for blind people, and the home demonstration agent in the country has volunteered to read to the members the publications on poultry sent from the United States Department of Agriculture.

Quoting Omar

A lawyer noted for his flowery oratory was speaking for the defence, and wishing to emphasize the tender relation that had existed between his client and the complainant, he exclaimed in the middle of an impassioned speech, "What does Omar say on this subject? 'A dog and a bone and a hank of hair, and thou beside me singing in the wilderness.'"

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

IN BOARD OF GAS AND ELECTRIC LIGHT COMMISSIONERS

BOSTON, APRIL 28, 1919

WHEREAS, by an order adopted on the 24th day of October 1918, the Board authorized the Lawrence Gas Company to charge for gas sold and delivered from and after October 1, 1918, not exceeding one dollar and fifteen cents (\$1.15) net, a thousand cubic feet for the duration of the war, unless meantime otherwise ordered upon complaint or petition as provided by law, or upon the Board's own motion, after notice and a public hearing; and

WHEREAS, owing to the uncertainties of business of all kinds attending the official determination of the war, a question has arisen as to the reasonableness of said limitation, it is therefore—

ORDERED, That, in accordance with the provisions of said order, the Board give a public hearing to said company, to the cities and towns in which it is supplying gas and to all other persons interested, upon the question of revising said order by striking out said limitation, or otherwise modifying or amending the same, at the office of the Board, 603 Ford Building at 15 Ashburton Place, Boston, on Wednesday, the twenty-eighth day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

ORDERED FURTHER, That said company be required to give notice of said hearing by serving an attested copy hereof upon the Mayor of the City of Lawrence and Methuen and upon the Chairman of the Selectmen of the Towns of Andover and North Andover ten days at least before the day fixed for said hearing and by causing a copy hereof to be published in the "Lawrence Eagle," the "Lawrence Sun-American," the "Lawrence Telegram," and the "Lawrence Tribune," in each of said papers once each week for two successive weeks prior to said time of hearing, and in the "Andover Townsman" and the "Methuen Transcript," in each of said papers once at least prior to said time of hearing.

By order of the Board,

R. G. TOREY, Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRORATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Thomas F. Morrissey, late of Andover in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by Edward C. Conroy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the second day of June A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

W. C. & E. J. FORD, Attorneys.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRORATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary Collins late of Andover in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by Anne Peet who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

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Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRORATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.
To all persons interested in the estate of David Middleton late of Andover in said County, deceased, held in trust for the benefit of Catherine A. Middleton.

WHEREAS, J. Duke Smith the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the substituted first, and second and final accounts of his trust under said will.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County, on the second day of June A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRORATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Thomas F. Morrissey, late of Andover in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by Edward C. Conroy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the second day of June A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED—By a school teacher of several years experience, position as a companion or at clerical work for the months of July and August. Address, "E," TOWNSMAN OFFICE.

BEANPOLES for sale—16 for \$1.00, \$0.90 a hundred, delivered. Cash on delivery. A. H. FARNHAM, North Andover. Tel. Lawrence 3508 M.

WANTED—A maid for general housework in a family of three, in small house. To go to the beach about June 1. Apply to MRS. H. T. SMITH, The Phillips Inn, Andover, Mass.

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MASS MEETING

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have equal rights at all gatherings. Many men wellknown in Andover, including "Jack" Greenway, Col. Henry L. Stimson, and Col. Fred M. Alger, are interested in the Legion and are acting on its central committees. It is spreading very rapidly, and posts have been started in many cities and towns in the state. Lowell and Haverhill are already enrolled, and steps toward organization have been taken in Lawrence.

The principal speaker at the preliminary mass meeting in Andover on

Tuesday night will be Colonel John F. J. Herbert of the 102nd Field Artillery, the officer who, at St. Louis, aroused such tumult of applause by protesting against holding the next convention in Chicago, the home of the pro-German Mayor Thompson. Colonel Herbert is an eloquent speaker, well acquainted with the aims and methods of the Legion, and will be able to explain the details of organization. A band will probably be present to play patriotic airs on that evening. An effort will be made to secure as large an enrollment as possible at this meeting, and to formulate some working rules for the Post. It is hoped, also, that the Post, if formed, will be able to take part as a

unit in the Andover Memorial Day exercises. Every one who has worn the uniform is urged to be present at this first gathering and to help to make the American Legion in Andover a success from the start.

The call for the meeting is being issued by the following informal committee, representing various branches of the service: Geo. Abbott (F. A.), M. J. Curran (F. A.), R. A. Daniels (F. A.), F. J. Daly (M. T. C.), James Dick (F. A.), C. M. Fuess (Q. M. C.), J. B. Gilen (Tank Corps), W. Holden (Inf.), A. McLeish (British), J. K. Selden (Aviation), H. H. Smith (Navy), M. W. Stackpole (Chaplain), P. W. Thompson (Q. M. C.).

Letter of Gratitude

Andover, May 12, 1919
Editor Andover Townsman:
Will you kindly give us a little space in your paper and say that the inmates of the Andover Town Farm wish to express their sincere thanks and gratitude to the King's Daughters for the enjoyable automobile ride they so kindly gave us on Friday afternoon, May 9th. We certainly enjoyed every moment during the ride and came home, happy and pleased.

On entering the dining room for supper, each inmate was made happy on seeing May baskets full of candy, nuts, etc., for them, and for which we wish to thank them also. We had the pleasure of having with us on our ride, Mrs. Bodwell, Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Harrington and Miss Madeline Hewes, and hope we may be fortunate in enjoying another ride in the near future.

Very respectfully,
THE INMATES OF TOWN FARM

Delightful Party Last Week

Mrs. Frank D. Valpey entertained the Rose Garden Whist Club last Thursday evening at her home on Elm street. Everyone who has ever been at one of Mrs. Valpey's parties knows what a good time everybody has, and that party for twenty ladies was no exception.

The club which meets every week and which consists of twelve members, expected their usual simple evening's entertainment. But to their surprise they found two extra tables of guests had been invited and that a most bountiful and artistically decorated table of refreshments awaited them. Pink and white cherry and peach flowers and little candy-filled Easter baskets made the spring-like setting for cakes and nuts, punch and ice cream.

Another surprise was the prize won by Miss Louise Hardy. Then later on in the evening, singing of patriotic songs was enjoyed.

Those who were entertained at this party were: Mrs. Charles Warden, Miss Annie Wakefield, Miss Florence Wakefield, Miss Jennie Clarke, Miss Elsie Holt, Miss Louise Hardy, Miss Mary Caldwell, Miss Ella Holt, Miss Alice McTernan, Mrs. Frank Cole, Miss Grace Jenkins, Miss Mildred Jenkins, Mrs. Andrew McTernan, Mrs. R. B. Glines, Miss Jennie Gadipoe, Mrs. George Saunders, Mrs. John Flint, Miss Alice Townsend and Mrs. Wickens.

W. S. S.

Plant proven seed. Interest on Second Liberty Loan Bonds was harvested May 15th. Plant it again in War Savings Stamps and it will keep on growing.

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Herod's Court, Ablaze with Splendors—Jerusalem as It Looked 40 B. C.—Moving Soldiery and Pitched Battles—Camels, Elephants and Beasts of Bible Battles—The Great Storm and the Miracle. Salome, Subtle, Saccharine, Sinister—a quiver of an Eyelash Means a Life, May Topple a Throne and Disrupt a Dynasty. One Withstands Her Allurements—Only One! And He Dies in Consequence

Drama Supreme

SEVEN VEILS FELL FROM HER AND YET SHE DANCED!

MEMORIAL DAY PLANS

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Veterans will report at G. A. R. hall at 7:15; Foss Military Band will report at 7:30; Platoon of Police, Frank M. Smith, chief, will report at G. A. R. Hall at 7:40. Comrades of Post No. 99 preceded by wounded soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American and allied armies, —members of Camp No. 111, —Band and Platoon of Police will move from G. A. R. Hall promptly at 7:45 to the Memorial Hall for devotional services (Post No. 99, —wounded soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American and Allied armies and Camp No. 111 only, will enter Memorial Hall). The organizations as above stated, will move from Memorial Hall to the Town Hall at 8:10 where the usual exercises will be held. All soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American and Allied armies, discharged or still in the service, are cordially invited to be present and seats will be reserved for them. Rev. E. H. Prescott will be the speaker.

Town Hall Program

Trooping of the Colors
Star-Spangled Banner
Prayer
Selection
Reading of Orders
Remarks
Song
Lincoln's Gettysburg Address
Selection
Recitation—"The Citizen's Creed"
Song
Oration
America
Benediction

Exercises in the Town Hall will terminate at 9:10 and all units which will make up the parade will at once take their proper positions so that the parade may move promptly at 9:50. The line of march will be as follows: Andover Square, Main street to Morton, Morton street to School, School street to Central street. Upon reaching Central street, the column will turn to the left, upon reaching the entrance of the South Church Cemetery the First Division will "column right" into the cemetery, the Second Division will continue to march past the entrance and the South Church, and all units, excepting the ladies of the Women's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, who will be conveyed in auto trucks from the Town Hall, will be discharged upon passing the South Church.

Parade Formation

FIRST DIVISION
Platoon of Police, Frank M. Smith, Chief
Foss Military Band, Fred S. Foss, Leader
Chief Marshal, Lieut. Jesse S. Billington, M. S. G.
Company H, 16th Inf., M. S. G., Capt. Pierson S.
Page commanding
Soldiers, Sailors, and Marines of the American and Allied Armies, discharged or still in the service.
Capt. James B. Gilen, commanding
(Will form on Barnard Street, right of line resting on Main Street.)
Walter L. Raymond Camp No. 111, S. of V. Roy S. Flint, commanding
Gen. Wm. F. Bartlett Post No. 99, G. A. R.
Geo. W. Chandler, commanding
(In automobiles)
The first division will form on the west side of Main Street (Andover Square) with head resting on Chestnut Street (with the exception of the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines of the American and Allied Armies)

SECOND DIVISION

Marshal P. C. Geo. A. Perkins, Camp No. 111 S. V.
Clan Johnston 185, O.S.C., Robert Williams, Chief
Andover Council K. of C., Michael J. Brennan
Boy Scout Bugle Band
Andover Troop B. S. of A., Allan Buttrick, Leader
Division 6, A. O. U. L., John Traynor
The second division will form on East Chestnut Street with head resting on Main Street.

THIRD DIVISION
Gen. Wm. F. Bartlett Relief Corps No. 127
Mrs. Frank Valpey, President
Walter L. Raymond Camp No. 111 S. of V. Aux.
Miss Edna M. Perkins, President

The ladies of the Relief Corps and Auxiliary will be conveyed from the town hall to the South Church Cemetery in auto trucks. The machines will be formed in line on Park street.

Soldiers' graves in the South Church and Episcopal cemeteries, the committee hopes, will be decorated this year by the soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American and Allied armies. The ceremony will be the same as used in former years. Each soldier detailed will take one basket of flowers as the details are marched past the flower station, details will then, under direction of their leader, march to their sections in the cemeteries. A soldier will stand beside each grave to be decorated, and will place the basket of flowers upon the grave when the volleys are fired by the firing squad. "Taps" will be sounded immediately after the last volley.

The following organizations will enter auto trucks as soon as possible after "Taps" is sounded for the Spring Grove Cemetery: Foss Military Band, Camp No. 111 Sons of Veterans; Post No. 99, G. A. R. (in automobiles); Ladies of Women's Relief Corps, No. 127; Ladies of Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, No. 111.

The Soldiers' graves in the Spring Grove and West Andover Cemeteries will then be decorated with the usual ceremonies.

The public is requested to be considerate and not to crowd into the driveway or the space reserved for the flowers, band and other organizations at the South Church cemetery.

The membership roll of Post No. 99 is decreasing all too fast, the Veterans are growing fewer in number and feeble in body, but a great event has materialized. They have seen "The Boys" come home. The "Boys" to whom a short year ago we said "goodbye" and many of us were afraid, very much afraid, that it would be our last farewell to many of them. But most of them have returned and our thanks to God cannot be expressed. And now the Comrades of Post No. 99 want to see them, want them to have a part in this thanksgiving Memorial Day Service. Let us all endeavor to make the ob-

servance of Memorial Day this year, the most thankful, kind, and reverent event that this town has ever seen.

The muster roll of Post No. 99, G. A. R. is as follows: Charles U. Bell, Patrick I. Conway, Ballard Holt, E. Kendall Jenkins, James McDonald, George H. Poor, James Saunders, Geo. W. Chandler, John Cummings, Archibald Higgins, Herbert S. Johnson, Wm. B. Morse, W. S. Roundy, Walker H. Wilde, Henry Clukey, James A. Doyle, John Hutchins, Jos. T. Lovejoy, John McLaughlin, John B. A. Russell.

Dr. Palmer Former Rector to Preach in Christ Church Next Sunday Morning

The Rev. Frederic Palmer, D. D., former rector of Christ Church, will preach at the 10:30 o'clock service on next Sunday morning.

The order of music will be:

Organ Prelude in D flat
Processional Hymn 450
Vente
Te Deum in F
Benedictus
Hymn of Victory and Peace
Offertory Anthem, "Glad Bless America"
Recessional Hymn 457
Organ Postlude in G

Births

On May 10, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Zechin of 15 Salem street.

On May 13, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Webbing of 189 North Main street.

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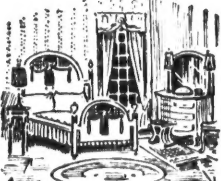
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A notice to the effect that the English Government has taken action for the compulsory removal of public work houses in England, of the last ten thousand healthy children over three years old, reminds us of the great influence caused in that country by the novelist, Dickens. In many of his stories the cruel treatment of little children was exposed, but perhaps "Oliver Twist" is the one in which the sympathies of the public were most keenly aroused. And wouldn't that kindly man be glad to know that now, after the war is over, these youngsters are to be sent to good homes in England or maybe in Canada, and that nevermore will there be even the slightest suggestion of a repetition of that little nine-year-old Oliver, who once "asked for more." Dickens' pictures may have been exaggerated, but they certainly did much to stimulate a more generous sympathy for poor children. Now after over fifty years, the last of these little Olivers has been put into a home where he can have good food, clothing and kind treatment.

In today's paper appears another appeal for books and magazines to be sent to our boys abroad and in the home camps. At the Memorial Hall library they will pack and ship these books and magazines, making it comparatively easy for the individual contributors. Just go up into the attic or, while doing your spring house cleaning, just sort over your books again, and see if there aren't a few interesting ones that have ceased to fill any special need in your existence. If it is impossible to get them to the Library, please notify the Townsman and she will make arrangements for calling at your home for them.

Did you know that if you are so small that you care what little minds say about you, you are not big enough for worth-while people to notice?

Miss Charlotte Helen Abbott entered Pynchard at the age of twelve and was graduated at fifteen. After her class the four-year course instead of a three-year one was established, so Miss Abbott has the distinction of being the only fifteen-year-old graduate among alumnae. That is by no means her only distinction and the record for brilliancy which she made at school seems to have been a foundation for her future ever-growing knowledge.

One of the best war books to own and one that will especially appeal to New Englanders, is "With the Yankee Division in France" which is coming out in June. Everybody knows Frank Sibley and everybody knows that he has something worth saying in a worthwhile way. It is pretty difficult to know just what to choose in the line of good ever-living war books. The press is turning war books out just as fast as they can, but even at that they can't keep pace with the millions that are being written. There are war books and war books; but it is surely safe to get the one by the Boston Globe man. This is what the advance notice says about the book:

"With the Yankee Division in France" is written by a newspaper man of twenty-seven years' experience, a trained observer who was sent by the Boston Globe to stay with the Twenty-sixth Division. He was with these National Guard-men from New England in the training area; on every fighting front that the Division occupied; was in the front-line trenches; accompanied the attacks; and knew both officers and men intimately.

"This book deals not only with the tactical history of the Yankees, but with their personal experiences. No other reporter in the Great War had Mr. Sibley's opportunity for close relations with the fighting troops through the whole campaign of the American forces; no other correspondent spent so much time in the front lines.

"He was in touch with the Twenty-sixth from the very day General Edwards arrived in Boston in April, 1917, up to the day when the Division left the embarkation area in the North Sea, France, for Brest and the transports home.

"The stories of the miseries of training in wintery Neu-Chateau; of the first raids upon the Yankees in the deadly valleys of the Chemin des Dames; of the long defence of the Toul sector and the killing rush up from Chateau Thierry; of the waltz down the schicht of Saint-Mihiel and the final desperate struggle in the hills above Verdun make a war book that has a direct personal interest for every man, woman and child in New England.

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PENNELL'S LITHOGRAPHS

Famous Pictures to be on Exhibition
at John-Eather Gallery Beginning Wednesday

The notable series of pictures by Joseph Pennell, illustrating what he has called the "Wonder of Work" in these war years, will be on exhibition at the John-Eather Gallery of Abbot Academy for a month, beginning Wednesday, May 21st.

Mr. Pennell has been a leader in the revival of artistic lithography, being one of the Senefelder Club, named for the inventor of the process, and formed to enlarge its service to art. Just one hundred years ago Aloise Senefelder published a valuable work called "The Complete Course of Lithography," which he concluded with these words:

"I desire it (lithography) may spread over the whole world bringing much good to humanity through many excellent productions, and that it may work towards man's greater culture, but that it may never be used for evil purposes. This grant the Almighty. Then may the hour be blessed in which I created it."

For fifty years thereafter the process was cultivated in Europe and was used for reproduction of paintings before the development of photography. But it was more or less abused for commercial purposes and only in recent years has been coming into its own again. The increased use of lithography during the war for posters and various representations of industrial as well as military achievements will have a marked influence on the development of the art. It will doubtless lead more artists to use it as they do etching for original work, and it is hoped that it will tend to increase the co-operation of art and business, so that art may indeed be commercialized, in a good sense of the phrase.

Lithography is a process full of possibilities and resources, with a range from a delicate gray to a rich deep black that would seem unbelievable to the unobserving. Artists who have used this medium include Whistler, Menzel, Fantin La Tour, Goya and more recently Bellows, Stenberg, Brangwyn, Muirhead, Bone and Clausen. For those who are interested to know something of the mechanical part of the process, a description by an expert is reprinted below.

It is hoped that this exhibition will appeal to many, as the subjects have been of late so closely brought to public attention, and are such as were never before thought suitable to reproduction by artists. The Gallery will be open on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons from two until five o'clock, until after Commencement. Other dates will be given later.

Lithography - An Art
Extracts from "How to Appreciate Prints" by Frank Weitenkampf

There are varied pleasures in store for those who become interested in the peculiar charm of lithography.

A simple medium this, ranging in its possibilities of expression from delicate silvery grays to deep velvety blacks, from masses of tone to the slightest pencil-like sketches; a process of many effects, produced by tools of the most varying description; crayon, pen, brush, sealer; a method of lines coarse or fine of tones, of washes, in black and white or in colors; an autographic art, reproducing the artist's touch absolutely; displaying his individuality without the intervention of any human translator; an open, personal manifestation of his design and intention, with the full impress of his character; an art which does, of course, call for adaptation on the part of the artist to its nature and limits, but for comparatively little technical preparation; eminently a medium for the painter, permitting "each temperament to assert itself."

Senefelder, a poor author, made his invention while searching for an inexpensive mode of printing his literary productions. Called upon one day to write out a laundry bill at short notice, he jotted it down on a slab of limestone, on which he had been practicing reversed writing with an ink containing ink, soap and lamp-black. It occurred to him to submit the stone to the action of acid, which etched away the acid, except where the lines resisted it, and thus left his writing sufficiently in relief to be printed from. This was in 1796, and his subsequent experiments produced a surface to be printed from, which was practically neither in relief nor in intaglio, so that lithography has been named a planographic process.

The perfect method of this surface-printing involves a chemical process, being based on the lack of affinity between fat and water. The drawing is executed on the stone with a greasy crayon or ink. A very weak solution of acid is then applied to the stone. The chemical effect of this is to increase the affinity of the drawn lines for fatty substances and to increase the resistance to the same in the portions of the stone not drawn upon, the resistance being aided by the addition of a solution of gum arabic. The acid, therefore, is not applied as in Senefelder's first experiment, in order to eat away the untouched portions of the stone, so as to throw the drawing into relief, but simply to effect certain chemical changes. Water is then applied, which will be held only in the white spaces. If a stone thus prepared is rolled up with ink, it will accept it wherever it has been drawn upon, and will reject it elsewhere.

For crayon drawing, the commonly-employed method, the stone is given a grain, so that the crayon will "take hold." A crayon saucer may be applied with rags. Pen or brush may be used, with lithographic ink, or the stone may be covered with a layer of ink, from which the lights are scraped out as in mezzotint engraving. Spatter work has

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been produced, especially for posters, by drawing an edge across a brush charged with ink.

The heaviness led eventually to the use of the so-called transfer paper, on this specially prepared paper the artist executes his drawing in lithographic crayon or ink, and this drawing is then transferred from the stone to the paper by being placed face downward on the stone and run through a press. This has another advantage for the artist; it obviates the necessity for reversing the drawing. This drawing is reversed in the mechanical process of transferring, and comes out right again in the printing.

Everett Mill, Lawrence, to Resume Work

On Monday morning after a period of fourteen weeks, the Everett Mill in Lawrence will resume work. It is expected that about 1500 employees will return and the basis for work will be forty-eight hours a week with forty-eight hour wages.

BALLARDVALE

Three of the local Good Templars paid Longfellow lodge of Haverhill, a fraternal visit on Wednesday evening.

J. W. Chamberlain of Dorchester has been spending the week with his daughter, Mrs. William Shaw, Andover street.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid Society will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Martha Dearborn, Andover street.

There was a good attendance at the dance in the community room Wednesday evening. All present reported a good social evening.

Ralph Parker has been putting in some new lockers and racks in his canoe house to meet the ever increasing demand of the canoeists, who follow their favorite pastime on the Shawshen.

The Local Centenary Drive

The financial campaign for the Missionary Centenary for the Methodist Episcopal Church will begin Sunday, May 18th and will continue for a week, closing Sunday, May 25th. The drive will be for \$105,000,000. This amount to be raised in five years. The quota for the local Methodist Church will be \$1625 or \$325 to be raised each year for five years. The organization for the local drive is almost completed and the church and the pastor, Rev. J. P. Gordero are confident that the local quota will be raised, as already one-half the amount has been raised. George Browne is the financial chairman of the Drive. After a brief conference together, the canvassers will start out Sunday afternoon to solicit for subscriptions. A letter has been sent out to every member of the church and constituency, informing them of the Centenary program.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

William H. Jaquith, Jr., has been enjoying a week of fishing at Lake Wimpisaukee.

The executive committee of General Wm. F. Bartlett Post Corps and Camp, will meet at Mrs. Olive J. Holts on 22 Maple avenue this evening at eight o'clock, to complete arrangements for Memorial Day.

Because of the strike in New York, the Pennell pictures have not come to Abbot Academy. The opening day of the exhibition, therefore, has been postponed from tomorrow, until Wednesday, May 21st.

Sgt. Major George N. Napier whose family had hoped he was coming home soon, has been sent with the army of occupation to Belgium. His address is now Care of Inspector Generals office, Headquarters S. O. S. Third Army, Antwerp, Belgium.

Miss Jules, child welfare nurse from the State Department of Health, will be at the Guild House next Friday afternoon at three o'clock to give demonstrations in bathing, clothing and the care of infants. Mothers are cordially invited to be present.

Boy Scout Notes

The weekly meeting of the Boy Scouts of Andover, was held Wednesday evening at the Guild house. After the regular business meeting of which Harry Tyer was in charge, the scouts played basketball and also bowled. Team A defeated B in basketball, by the score of 25-17.

Seamen's Social

The last Seaman's Social for this season was held Thursday evening at the West Parish vestry. George M. Carter and wife, Herbert Merrick and wife and Mrs. Richard Ward were the committee in charge. The supper was excellent and the spirit of good fellowship that pervaded the whole gathering was typical of a West Parish Seaman's Social. The entertainment was the last of a series of talks by army men and consisted of a story of the things that really happened to a member of the 26th, William B. Eastwood of the 10th engineers. Mr. Eastwood saw active service and was wounded. He possesses the happy faculty of making his words paint real pictures for the mind's eye of his listeners. This was followed by a playlet by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster of North Andover, the subject being "The Silent System." We recommend the lesson taught to be one sure to bring results. This closed one of the most successful socials of the season.

Mrs. Edward Abbott and daughters, Marion and Ruth, have returned from Washington, Miss Ruth having finished her work there, and the others having had an enjoyable and instructive visit, brimful of pleasure from the staff to finish.

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